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OUTLINES.

Secretary Taft last night ad[illegible] an immense audience of Reput[illegible] and Democrats at Greensboro, [illegible] his allusions to Wm. J. Bryan b[illegible] received with loud applause.——[illegible] prosecution claims to have discovered evidence of a serious nature against Harry Thaw, who killed Stanford White in New York; it is claimed that two witnesses will make statements that they heard Thaw on two different occasions threaten the life of his hated rival for the chorus girl's favor.——Three detectives are in Pittsburg gathering data as to Thaw's life and peculiarities from childhood to the day of the tragedy.——The North German Lloyd Steamship Company and the Hamburg-American Line have reduced the steerage passage rate $2.50 and are engaged in a fight for the emigrant business.——Carvalho, the handwriting expert, has gone to Pittsburg to testify for Mrs. Hartje, who denies that she wrote certain letters to her millionaire's husband's coachman named in their divorce suit as cor-respondent.——The President of France last night gave a brilliant dinner in honor of Congressman and Mrs. Nicholas Longworth.——The Civil Service Commission will recommend that the entire internal revenue service be placed under the civil service regulations.——Secretary Wilson was in Chicago yesterday and held a conference with the meat packers concerning the new inspection law, but neither side would give out any information.——At the entrance of Yellowstone Park on Saturday a lone highwayman held up five stage coaches and secured large sums of money and valuables.——New York Markets: Money on call steady, 2¾ to 3½ per cent.; ruling rate, 3¼; closing bid, 2½; ocered at 3; spot cotton quiet. 10.80; flour steady; wheat easy, No. 2 red, 84⅛ elevator; corn firm, No. 2, 59¾ nominal elevator; oats quiet, mixed 42½ to 43; turpentine and rosin firm.

When President Roosevelt goes down to the canal zone he would rather meet the man with the pick than the individual with the muckrake.

"The sons of the millionaires have their perils," remarks a contemportary. Well, it does look like they've got to take their chances against the cigarette and the chorus girl.

A New York dispatch says: "Senator Chauncey M. Depew is improving." Well if a man doesn't improve in several months after having been raked over the coals, his condition would certainly be desperate.

It is said that the Indian tribes cost the government less every year. However, the diatribes in Congress will go right on costing the government big money every time Congress meets and the Record begins to publish "speeches."

Perhaps Bryan is one of those men of destiny and that "his time hadn't come" when he was beaten those two times. There are plenty of people who always did contend that the Nebraskan has a Presidential face.

The Republicans are boasting of the good things done by Congress but the Democrats propose to ask the people to condemn that Republican Congress for failing to do a hundred good things that it should have done. The people won't stand for the sins of omission of the stand pat Congress.

Some preacher who has visited Boston berates the town for "utter lack of morals" and says "it is the worst city in the world." Of course, Boston people will regard an individual who makes remarks like that as a person who wears goggles and possesses an overbow of beard, indicating that he is a muck-raker from the "rural "deestricts."

Says the Savannah News: "Ananias Baker is the name of a representative in the Indiana Legislature. With a name like that, Mr. Baker ought to be a member of a Republican campaign Committee." It will require a gentleman with the qualifications of Ananias to go around during the campaign and claim that the Republican party stood for the Democratic principles that Roosevelt, with the help of the Democratic minority, made a Republican Congres swallow.

HOMICIDE ON TRAIN

Sampson County Man Killed on Returning Excursion from Wilmington Saturday.

SELF DEFENSE IS CLAIMED

Much Drunkenness and Disorder—Man Who Did the Killing Surrenders Himself to the Authorities at Clinton—Other Notes.

The Fayetteville Observer of yesterday afternoon gives the following account of a homicide that occurred Saturday night on the return of the excursion train from Wilmington to Stedman, on the A. & Y. railroad:

"A terrible tragedy took place on an excursion train near Stedman, this county, Saturday night, in which a Mr. Bedsole, of Stedman, shot and killed a Croatan named C. N. Alexston.

"The excursion train was run from Stedman to Wilmington, and the train was in charge of Conductor Clifton and Engineer George Boney. There were eight cars crowded; and, on the return trip, there was unparelled rowdyism. Hundreds of shots were fired through the coach windows, seats, floors and in every direction. Engineer Boney says that he had the coal in the tender piled high, in order to shield himself and fireman from the hail of bullets which whizzed around the engine. The shots were fired by drunken rowdies, and the excursion managers were powerless to stop it. When the train reached Stedman the negro porter, in going through the train, found the body of a man stretched across a seat, face upwards, in a deserted car with two bullet holes in his head.

"It is said that Alexston was the most unruly one of the rowdies on the train. He was drinking when he got on the train early in the morning to go to Wilmington, and made considerable trouble on the trip down. It is said he was so disorderly in Wilmington that he was locked up in the police station there, and only released in time to catch the train on its return.

"A passenger, who witnessed the affair, says that Alexston entered the coach in which Bedsole was with a pistol in each hand and announced that he was going to kill everyone in the car.

"'That you won't!' exclaimed Bedsole, springing to his feet, and drawing a pistol sent two bullets into the man's head. Just after this Stedman was reached, and the passengers fled from the car, Bedsole with them, at the same time announcing that he did it and was going to give himself up.

"The crew brought the train to Fayetteville with one lone passenger, the dead man lying in exactly the position in which he fell. The Coroner was summoned, but he understood that the homicide took place in Sampson, and ordered the body carried back to Autryville. So, about 1:30 o'clock, the train started on the return with the same lone passenger. There seems to be some doubt as to whether the tragedy took place in Cumberland or Sampson, though the train crew said it occurred in Cumberland.

"A subscriber at Autryville, who witnessed the shooting, writes as follows:

"'Just as the McLamb and Caisen excursion was arriving at Autryville Saturday night a very exciting incident occurred when Mr. John T. Bedsole, a prominent young business man of Stedman, shot and killed Dan Alexston, of Autryville. Alexston had threatened Bedsole's life while in Wilmington, and to avoid any serious trouble, Bedsole secured a reserve seat, and was safe until just before the train arrived at Autryville, when Alexston assaulted the door-keeper with a pistol and forced him to open the door. Upon attacking Mr. Bedsole (crazed by liquor as he was) he was killed instantly. Bedsole was calm and quiet.

"'Mr. Ballard Sessoms, of Roseboro, was also shot and seriously wounded by Alexston.'"

(Special Star Telegram.)

Clinton, N. C., July 9.—J. T. Bedsole shot and killed Dan Alexston on an excursion train last Saturday night near Autryville Sampson County, a phone message was received here today by F. R. Cooper, Esq., attorney for Bedsole stating that he would come to Clinton at once and surrender to the Sheriff and wanted his preliminary trial at once. County Coroner J. P. Parker was advised by wire Monday and went at once to investigate. The first information received was a telegram from Bedsole himself to the Sheriff on Sunday morning. It was sent from Wade and read as follows: "Killed man near Autryville last night want to surrender, advise." Self-defense is claimed. The trial will likely begin to-morrow.

TO CALL CONVENTION

Congressional Executive Committee Will Meet in This City To-day at Noon.

MEMBERS ARE ARRIVING

Fayetteville and Wilmington Will Ask For Meeting of Sixth District Democrats—New Hanover's Delegates Not Yet Appointed.

The Sixth District Congressional Executive Committee will meet this noon at the office of the chairman, Col. George L. Morton, Room 407-408 Southern Building. The purpose of the meeting is to fix the time and place for holding the Congressional Conventoin for this district, an event that is being looked forward to with a great deal of interest in local political circles. Members of the committee are already arriving and the probability is that there will be a full attendance. Members of the committee are Col. Morton, of New Hanover, chairman; George H. Bellamy, Esq., of Brunswick; H. C. Moffitt, of Columbus; D. T. McCulloch, of Bladen; Q. K. Nimocks, of Cumberland; Col. E. F. MacRae, of Robeson, and R. G. Taylor, of Harnett.

It is expected that quite a little fight will ensue at the committee meeting over the place of the convention as both Wilmington and Fayetteville are strong bidders for the same. Col. Morton said last night that several of the members of the committee had not expressed an opinion on the place but that he was very hopeful of getting the meeting for Wilmington or Wrightsville Beach. A number of the committee members are known to favor Wilmington while others are favorable to Fayetteville.

It is said that the failure of New Hanover to name her delegates to the convention before the meeting of the committee will militate against the convention being held here. It is expected that the delegates from this county wil be named in time to attend the convention if the committee does not call the convention too early. At least that is the joke that is going the rounds of the district in which all other counties have named their delegates long ago. No one has attempted to explain the delay in the appointments from this county.

THE COUNTY SCHOOLS

Semi-Annual Apportionment Made Yesterday Afternoon—Vocal Music Teacher Employed—Regular Meeting of County Board.

The County Board of Education was in regular monthly session yesterday afternoon, having adjourned from the first Monday on account of the lack of a quorum. A number of matters of importance to the public schools of the county were considered, chief among which was the semi-annual apportionment to the several districts as given below. There were present at the meeting Chairman Wm. H. Sprunt, Mr. George Rountree, County Superintendent W. Catlett and County Treasurer Green. The monthly report of Treasurer Green showed a balance on hand to the credit of the school fund July 1st., amounting to $7,233.50. The report was audited and approved.

Patrons of District No. 6, Acorn Branch, petitioned that the school building be moved to a more central location. The matter was referred back to the committee of the district for information as to what part of the expense the patrons would bear and what amount would be expected of the Board of Education.

Prof. H. Womersley was employed as teacher of vocal music in the rural schools at a salary of $50 per month.

Mr. J. F. Hawkins was elected a committeeman in District No. 14, Greenville Sound, vice Mr. J. D. Woody, resigned.

The Treasurer reported $12,930.97 on hand for apportionment for the six months ending January 1st., 1907, but from this amount $1,764.88 had to be deducted for amount ovedrawn previously and $2,000 had to be set aside for contingent building fund, leaving a balance of $9,166.09 for actual apportionment. This amount is slightly more than last year, but still not sufficient to run the schools to January 1st. The usual way of drawing over will be restorted to so that the schools may be kept open.

The apportionment to the several townships was as follows:

Wilmington—District No. 1, $3,516.98; District No. 2, $3,657.22. Total, $7,174.20.

Cape Fear Township—District No.

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WILL RETIRE BONDS

County To Liquidate $20,000 In debtedness From Proceeds of Property Sale

COMMISSIONERS YESTERDAY

Special Meeting For Receiving Tax Returns From Township Listers—Sale of Old Court House Property Is Consummated.

At a special meeting of the Board of County Commissioners held yesterday afternoon for the purpose of receivng the tax returns from the listers for the several townships, Chairman McEachern reported that the deed had been signed and delivered to Mr. James F. Woolvin, conveying to him the balance of the old Court House property and that the proceeds of the sale, according to survey, was $16,568. It was recommended that this amount with a sum from the General Fund sufficient to liquidate $20,000 of the new Court House bonds be applied for this purpose. The recommendation was accepted and the Chairman was instructed to take proper steps to liquidate the bonds as suggested. It was agreed that the bonds to be retired would be those due and payable in 1912 and a part of those due in 1917. These bonds pay 5 per cent. and their retirement means quite a saving to the county out of the Special Fund. The bonds are held principally in Wilmington. The calling in of these bonds is provided for in the special act authorizing them some years ago.

Only Chairman McEachern and Commissioners Robertson and Divine were present at the meeting yesterday. The returns from the tax listers of Harntet and Masonboro townships were received from Messrs. J. D. Woody and J. Herbert Johnson, respectively, and the listers from Masonboro and Federal Point were granted further time. The other business before the Board yesterday was of a routine and unimportant nature.

RAIDED VICE DENS

Eighteen Disreputables Before Mayor Yesterday on Charge of Vagrancy—Twelve to Roads and Farm Municipal Court Yesterday.

Upon the frequent complaint of residents in the neighborhood, by direction of the Mayor, the police Sunday night made raids on the disreputable characters who infest Kellogg's, Strauss' and Terry's alleys, in Brooklyn, arresting all persons found in the dives on charges of vagrancy, having no visible means of support. Officer C. E. Wood led the raid and 18 in all were arrested, half a dozen men having been among the number of defendants. Yesterday the motley throng was given trial before the Mayor in the municipal court and out of the 18 twelve were sent to the roads and county farm for terms of 30 days each and six were so fortunate as to escape by showing that they had recent employment. One of the negro men sought to escape on the ground that he was pianist at a dance hall in Dross Neck, but the Mayor was of the opinion that an able-bodied man should have more strenuous employment and he was given his 30 days with the rest. The list of defendants would not look well in print. All are old offenders, including "Queen Victoria," who seemed to be the bellwether of the flock.

Other cases in court yesterday were of no special interest. Jim Green and his sister, Louise Green, had been arrested for being drunk and disorderly at Fourth and Church streets Saturday night. Jim was fined $10 and costs and the woman was discharged. Stacy Ammon, Morris Leslie and Croker Williams, all white, were drunk in a vacant house on Castle, between Sixth and Seventh streets, Sunday morning. They were fined $5 and costs each. Samuel Lewis and Henry McFarland, bootblacks, charged with shining shoes at Fourth and Bladen streets after hours, were let off upon promise of their parents to thrash them.

A boy experienced in feeding a folding machine and who can keep machine in order may secure employment by applying at the Star office.
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A MILK INSPECTION

Action Looking to This End Taken By Board of Health Yesterday.

REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING

Residents Complain of Sewerage Market; Also Imperfect Drain-Breaks in Vicinity of Tenth and age—Supt.'s Report.

At the regular monthly meeting of the Board of Health in the Mayor's office at the City Hall yesterday afternoon, the question of a milk inspection for Wilmington was brought up by Mr. M. W. Jacobi and a committee composed of Drs. A. H. Harriss, T. S. Burbank and Mr. Jacobi were appointed to consider the advisability and cost of an inspection and to submit to the Board at the next meeting such an ordinance as they think should govern the system in this city. The importance of the inspection was strongly recommended by the physicians in attendance and it is very probable that some regulations governing the sale of milk in the city will be adopted. The matter has been under consideration for some time and while there are many obstacles in the way, the committee believes that suggestions may be obtained from other cities and an ordinance drafted that will be satisfactory in Wilmington. When the Board of Health has acted in the matter, the Board of Aldermen will be asked to adopt such an ordinance as is recommended.

At the meeting of the Board yesterday there were present Mayor Waddell, the chairman; Dr. C. T. Harper, secretary; Dr. A. H. Harriss and Mr. M. W. Jacobi. The usual routine business was transacted. Mr. H. K. Holden appeared before the Board and called attention to the continued nuisance of broken sewers in the vicinity of Tenth and Market streets about which there has been much complaint. Mr. W. A. Willson, Jr., was also present and spoke of the bad conditions in the sanitary way in that section. Upon motion of Dr. Harriss, it was ordered that the company be notified that the sewer in that vicinity is a nuisance and a menace to the public health and that unless it is abated in thirty days, prosecution will follow by the city in the courts.

Mr. Willson also called attention to the poor drainage in that vicinity and the overflow of his property in that vicinity by reason thereof. The Board fully realized the very unsatisfactory conditions complained of by Mr. Willson and the Sanitary Department of the city has been ordered by the Board of Health to give attention to the matter at once.

The regular monthly report of Dr. C. T. Harper, superintendent of health, showed 53 deaths from all causes during June, 20 of the decedents being white and 33 colored; 45 births, 17 white and 28 colored. During the month one case of diptheria was quarantined but there was no smallpox or scarlatina. The health officers made 4,000 inspections, did 15 fumigations, issued 753 orders for disinfectants. The trash carts removed 1,075 loads of garbage during the month. The other reports were of no public interest.

The Republican Convention.

New Hanover's rival delegations to the Republican State Convention in Greensboro to-day, both claiming to be regular, left yesterday and Sunday for the scene of the gathering and will fight out their differences before the credentials committee of that body. Both delegations are understood to be favorable to Spencer B. Adams for State Chairman, over which there will be the sharpest contest in the convention. Spencer Blackburn, also a candidate for the place, has developed wonderful strength and the contest appears to be doubtful. Postmaster Wallace and Mr. S. M. King, the originals, were the first on the scene at Greensboro, having left Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Whitlock to Fayetteville.

At last night's regular meeting of Cornelius Harnett Council Royal Arcanum, Mr. C. M. Whitlock, the regent, tendered his resignation as Regent of the council on account of his recent removal to Fayetteville, where he will be a superintendent for the Weed Distilling Co., and Vice Regent W. P. Monroe was elected to succeed him. Mr. T. L. Vines was elected Vice Regent to succeed Mr. Monroe and Mr. Wm. Goodman was elected Orator to succeed Mr. Vines. Mr. Whitlock and family have already removed to Fayetteville which will be their home in the future.

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PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—H. L. Stevens, Esq., of Warsaw, arrived Sunday.

—Mr. J. A. Huske, of Fayetteville, is spending a while at the beach.

—Mr. W. H. Covington, of Pensacola, Fla., was among Sunday's arrivals.

—Mr. Ben White is spending his vacation at Linville and Blowing Rock, N. C.

—Mr. Morrison Caldwell, of Aberdeen, N. C., was a guest at The Orton Sunday.

—Mr. E. B. McMillan, of Lumberton, was among the arrivals in the city Sunday.

—Mr. Charles H. Polley, of Hallsboro, was in the city yesterday and called at The Star office.

—Mr. A. L. DeRosset, Jr., of Charlotte, is here spending a few days in the city and at the beach.

—Miss Pat Woods, of Darlington, S. C., is a guest at the Parsley cottage, on Wrightsville Beach.

—Miss Marie Koiner, who has been an attractive visitor to the beach, has returned to her home in Charlotte.

—Miss Emily Pfaff, of Augusta, Ga., is in the city visiting her aunt, Mrs. Otto Banck, No. 108 Red Cross street.

—Miss Lila Blanche Russell, of Charlotte, is a guest on Wrightsville Beach, where she will spend some time.

—Mr. Marcus Nichols, wife and little son, George, have gone to Norfolk, Va., to spend a week at Mr. Nichols' old home.

—Charlotte Observer: "Sheriff N. W. Wallace and daughters, Misses Daisy, Lillian and Ruth, leave in a few days for Wrightsville Beach."

—Capt. and Mrs. J. R. Stephens and little daughter, Catherine, after spending a week at the beach, returned to their home at Raleigh yesterday.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Atkinson, of Hamlet, after a pleasant visit to their daughter, Mrs. D. D. Benton, of this city, have returned to their home.

—Miss Mary E. Hardison, of Rocky Mount, who has been the charming guest of Miss Charlotte Fennell, on Wrightsville Sound, returned to her home yesterday evening.

—Capt. T. D. Meares, Supreme Master of Exchequer of the Knights of Pythias, is in Nashville, Tenn., on business connected with the order. He will return the middle of the week.

—Charlotte Observer: "Misses Kitty and Hannah Constable, the little daughters of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Constable, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Martin S. Willard, of Wilmington."

—Mr. W. P. M. Turner returned last night from Healing Springs, in the mountains, where he spent a vacation of ten days. Mrs. Turner will remain in the mountains for some time yet, returning home later in the Summer via Asheville, N. C.

—Capt. C. D. Maffitt arrived yesterday morning on the Clyde Liner from New York, where he has been under treatment several weeks for his throat. His friends will be delighted to know that he is much improved as the result of the several operations he underwent while away.

Charlotte Observer: "Miss Kate and Miss Fannie Harris will leave this week for Wrightsville Beach, where they will spend three or four weeks.—Mr. and Mrs. Jno. W. Zimmerman and Miss Kate Torrence have gone to Wrightsville Beach to spend some time.—Mr. and Mrs. George W. Norman left last evening for Wrightsville Beach, where they will spend a fortsight."

—Dr. Charles T. Harper left last evening for Denver, Col., where he will represent Wilmington Lodge No. 532 at the National Convention of Elks, beginning the 17th. He will be joined in Baltimore by Mrs. Harper, who is visiting her parents there. During Dr. Harper's absence the duties of city superintendent of health will be looked after by Drs. A. H. Harriss and W. D. McMillan.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

W. B. Cooper—New Flour.
Rice & Spencer—Dissolution.
Geo. O. Gaylord—Summer Sale.
C. P. Bolles & Co.—Bank Stocks.
A. G. Holden—St. John's Lodge, A. F. & A. M.
Wilmington Savings & Trust Co.—Special Notice.

Business Locals.

Wanted—Folder Feeder.
R. A. Parsley—Land for Sale.
Wanted—Gentlemen Boarders.
Crew Levick Co.—Coopers Wanted.
Palace Market—Veal, Lamb, Chickens, Etc.

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All announcements and recommendations of candidates for office, whether in the shape of communications or otherwise, will be charged as advertisements.

Payments for transient advertisements must be made in advance. Known parties, or strangers with proper reference, may pay monthly or quarterly, according to contract.

Remittances must be made by Check, Draft, Postal Money Order, Express or in Registered Letter. Only such remittances will be at the risk of the publisher.

Communications, unless they contain important news or discuss briefly and properly subjects of real interest, are not wanted; and, if acceptable in every other way, they will invariably be rejected if the real name of the author is withheld.

Notices of Marriage or Death, Tributes of Respect, Resolutions of Thanks, etc., are charged for as ordinary advertisements, but only half rates when paid for strictly in advance. At this rate 50 cents will pay for a simple announcement of Marriage or Death

Advertisements inserted once a week in Daily will be charged $1.00 per inch for each insertion. Every other day, three-fourths of daily rate. Twice a week, two-thirds of daily rate.

Contract advertisers will not be allowed to exceed their space or advertise anything foreign to their regular business without extra charge at transient rates.

Avertisements kept under the head of "New Advertisements" will be charged fifty per cent. extra.

Advertisements to follow reading matter, or to occupy any special place, will be charged extra according to the position desired.

BUTLER'S FRIEND TAFT.

The Republican State convention will convene at Greensboro to-day and settle the fight for the State chairmanship between Congressman E. Spencer Blackburn and Judge Spencer B. Adams.

The convention has assumed a some what national aspect from the fact that on the eve of the convention, Secretary of War Taft delivered a speech to the faithful. The Star's dispatches tell of the Secretary's speech, and it is destined to attract attention all over the country, as it is regarded as the launching of the boom of Taft for the Presidential nomination in 1908. The dispatches from Oyster Bay on Saturday, stated that before leaving for Greensboro Secretary Taft consulted President Roosevelt about the speech which he delivered last night. It gives color to the rumor that Taft is Roosevelt's man for his successor, and at any rate it is to be assumed that Taft's speech was pulled off with the approval of Roosevelt and in all probability interlined with Roosevelt suggestions.

The Brooklyn Citizen (Dem.) in an editorial takes this view of the Greensboro visit of the big Secretary of War:

"The announcement that Secretary Taft has gone to Oyster Bay to confer with the President in relation to the speech he is to deliver to the Republicans of North Carolina on the eve of their State convention, is politically important in view of the fact that Mr. Taft, by common consent, is looked upon as the heir to the Roosevelt successsion in the leadership of the Republican party, and his speech is expected to define the administration's policy with respect to the Republican party in the South.

"The last speech of the kind made by Mr. Taft was in Ohio, and his vigorous denunciation of the Cox machine of Cincinnati made a sensation. The machine Republicans of the Cox stripe put the responsibility for the defeat of the Republican candidate for Governor of Ohio upon that speech.

"Nothing has been heard of late about the rumored intention of the President to put Taft on the bench of the United States Supreme Court. In all probability, the Secretary himself vetoed the suggestion, as he evidently regards his chance of getting the Republican Presidential nomination in 1908 as exceedingly good. Mr. Taft, next to the President, is probably the most popular Republican in the country and he comes from a State which, in our generation, has given more Presidents to the Nation than any other State in the Union."

In all probability the Citizen about sizes it up correctly, else why should Taft have consulted Roosevelt concerning his speech to the North Carolina Republicans?

Mr. Thos. J. Pence, Washington correspondent of the Raleigh News and Observer, sent this interesting bit of gossip to his paper on Saturday:

"'I do not know the Adams mentioned in this dispatch. The truth is that I am oging to North Carolina upon the invitation of my old friend, ex-United States Senator Marion Butler.'

"The above are the words of Secretary of War William H. Taft, while commenting on a story to the effect that his Presidential boom would be launched in Greensboro next Monday. Judge Adams' name appeared in this story in connection with a letter running as follows:

"'My Dear Mr. Adams: I write to advise you that I shall have much pleasure in being at Greensboro on the 9th of July, and in addressing your convention.

"'Very truly,

(Signed) "'WILLIAM H. TAFT.'

"While Secretary of War Taft did not deny writing the letter quoted here, and which he read in the newspaper story shown to him, he makes it clear that he does not know 'the Adams,' and what is more important than everything else, he establishes beyond doubt that he is going to North Carolina at the instance of his 'old friend,' the ex-Populist leader, Marion Butler. Secretary Taft's open declaration of the occasion of his visit to North Carolina is very significant, and will, no doubt, set many Republicans to thinking.

"The interview with Mr. Taft, in which he denies knowledge of Judge Adams, and in which he speaks so cordially of his 'old friend,' Mr. Butler, was given to this correspondent by the correspondent of one of the leading papers of Boston. It is a highly interesting contribution and runs as follows:

"'How about the story that your Presidential boom is to be launched in North Carolina?' asked the newspaper man as he handed the Secretary a dispatch giving confirmation of his queery.

"'Pooh!' ejaculated the Secretary with a laugh. 'That is some fellow's dreamland fancy. I do not know the Adams mentioned in this dispatch. The truth is that I am going to North Carolina upon the invitation of my old friend, ex-United States Senator Butler, and I shall speak on the political issues of the day.'

"'How about the Presidency?'

"'I have nothing to say about the Presidency, and I wouldn't say if I had,' answered the Secretary, good humoredly.

"The dispatch shown Mr. Taft, which prompted these remarks said among other things, 'The Presidential boom of Secretary of War Taft will be launched in North Carolina, and in the very stronghold of the Fairbanks backers. When the convention opens on the tenth, before the Taft enthusiasm has died away and while the Ohio statesman is bound for home, some ardent supporter is expected to offer a resolution endorsing Taft for the Republican Presidential nomination.'

"But the really important thing about the Taft hullabaloo in North Carolina is that Marion Butler is the man behind it all. Again it is demonstrated that the Republican party in the State cannot do without the ex-Populist Senator. He is the king bee and the others are mere flies.

"When former Senator Pritchard was in the Senate, Tar-Heel Radicals looked to him, and he was able to give them status at the pie counter. When he retired to the bench, naturally they looked to some one else, and they needed somebody, because Blackburn was dynamiting all the crew that landed in Washington. His position as the only Republican Congressman from the State gave him a standing in the departments that the leaders could not overcome. There was only one recourse to them. Butler with his prestige as an ex-Senator could do things that were even denied Blackburn. That is why the Radical leaders embraced the ex-Populist Senator. They do not dare cut loose from him, because if they do, Blackburn, as long as he is a Congressman, will put so much dynamite under them that their standing here will be nil.

"The refusal of the Federal judges in North Carolina to accept State Chairman Adams' invitation to accompany Secretary of War Taft to Greensboro to address the Federal officeholders assembled for the State convention was not unexpected. As was stated in this correspondence they would hardly consent to play second fiddle to ex-Senator Butler, who will be master of ceremonies. 'I don't believe that there is a Federal judge in this country who would so prostitute his office,' said one of the prominent men in the nation when he read the announcement that the North Carolina Federal judges had accepted invitations to escort the Secretary of War to address a lot of Republicans at Greensboro.

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ROBERT WINTER.

Miami, Fla., Dec. 8, 1904.

Send names and addresses of those who may be benefitted to the Keeley Institute, Greensboro, N. C.

REASONS FOR A CHANGE.

The Saratoga (N. Y.) Sun commending upon the enormous expenditures of the Republican Congress says:

"The fact remains that, while the extravagance of the Roosevelt regime is largely in foreign exploits and military and naval expansion, the plan is to increase the public expense in proportion to the increase of revenue, so that there shall be no disturbance of the monopoly tariff. In these matters Mr. Roosevelt's peculiar ambition and the purposes of the standpat monopolists run hand in hand, and there is no probability of any reform during a Republican regime of any kind."

There is reason enough alone in the above to make the people put the Republican party out of business in the Congressional elections this Fall. If the people ever get relief from the burdens of a tariff greater than the war tariff it will be nonsense to look for it from a party whose slogan is "stand pat."

THE BROADWAY MAGAZINE.

The Broadway Magazine for July has been received, and it challenges the interest of the reader with a splendid table of contents and numerous attractive illustrations. There is a variety of contributions, poems and sprightly matter, and the magazine is refreshing and entertaining throughout. It is sent a year for $1 and sells at 10 cents per copy. Address Broadway Magazine (Inc.), 7 West Twenty-second street, New York.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—President Roosevelt might use part of that $25,000 travel fund to follow up some of his threats against lawbreakers.—Bryan's Commoner.

—Carping critics are complaining because Mr. Bryan had a suit of clothes made in Vienna. As Mr. Bryan has been gone nearly a year it would seem that the critics expect him to come home in a barrel.—Bryan's Commoner.

—The French government is now proceeding to make all possible reparation to Capt. Dreyfus for his shameful conviction by the military bureaucrats who hounded him. The government of the United States (and President Roosevelt in particular) still fails to make the amende honorable to Admiral Schley.—Norfolk Landstand for at least a generation.—Syracuse Post-Standard.

—That volcanic action is still going on among the rocks of the Pacific Ocean depths appears from the uprising of a small island in the line of the Aleutian group recently and the fact that the water thereabouts was so hot that fishermen who started to visit the new island thought it wiser to turn back. There is nothing very unusual in this matter, however, as islands have been appearing and some of them disappearing in that locality for centuries, and probably will continue to do so for centuries to come; and, on the whole, personal property seems to offer a safer investment there than real estate.—Brooklyn Citizen.

—In referring to the shameful greed of the heartless speculators in human suffering who have the impudence to pretend that they are charging $8 or more a ton for ice because of its scarcity, we have stated that ice can be produced by machine at $1 a ton or less. That we were within bounds is shown by the statement of one member of the Ice Trust in Baltimore who, on the promise of immunity from prosecution, turned State's evidence and told the grand jury that ice can be produced by machine at a cost of 63½ cents a ton, and that even on heavily inflated bond issues and watered stock a profit of 100 per cent could be made on ice sold at $2.50 a ton.—Brooklyn Citizen.

—Some one with a taste for figures estimates that any half dozen of the great armored cruisers that will come to the Jamestown Exposition next year will have a combined engine strength that would, if represented in horses, equal the number of horses in the cavalry arm of the Russian Army, and Russia has more cavalry troopers than any other nation on earth. The battleship Maine has an engine strength equal to the pulling strength of all the horses in the United States cavalry. The engines of the battleship Virginia or Louisiana, if fastened to a fixed object, could pull the whole United States cavalry into the sea. This being the case, we advise our cavalry to keep well away from the shore.—Army and Navy Journal.

TWINKLINGS.

—Muggins—That boy of mine was born to rule. Buggins—Think he'll make a statesman? Muggins—Yes, or a janitor.—Philadelphia Record.

—Grace—I hear that Charlie and Helen have made up their quarrel. Gussie—Only temporarily. They are going to be married soon.—Chicago News.

—"I hear you went swimming this morning." "Yes, I did." "How did you find the water?" "Why, you can't miss it, silly! Go north till you strike the lake."—Cleveland Leader.

—He—I believe you are ready to marry the first fool who comes along. She—You have no right to say so. And she threw a strong accent on the "you."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

—Roughshod.—He—You know some one has said: "If you would make a lasting pair of boots, take for the sole the tongue of a woman." She—Yes, and for the uppers the cheek of the man who said it.

—His Failing Memory.—"I suppose your late uncle didn't fail to remember you in his will?" said the sympathetic friend. "You could hardly call it a remembrance," replied the poor relation. "It was more like a faint recollection."—Chicago News.

—"I am 35 years old," announced a woman of 56 at a tea last week. "And I am 26," said the woman of 45. Then turning to a girl of 17 who stood nearby, she asked: "How old are you, Ethel?" "Oh," replied Ethel, "according to present reckoning, I'm not born yet."—Life.

—"Mary," said a lady to her cook, "I must insist that you keep better hours and that you have less company in the kitchen at night. Last night you kept me from sleeping because of the uproarious laughter of one of your women friends." "Yis, mum, I know," was the reply; "but she couldn't help it. I was tellin' her how you tried to make cake one day."—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

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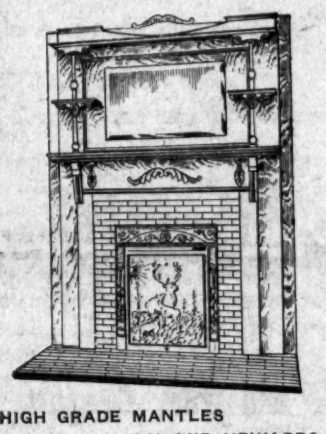

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE

—The Farmers' State convention will meet in Raleigh today (July 10th) and be in session till Wednesday.

—A warrant was issued at Elizabeth City on Saturday for the arrest of Dred Weeks, colored, for attempted assault on a fourteen-year-old girl. The negro is at large, with the police on his trail.

—The colored Baptist State convention will meet in Scotland Neck July 12th and an excellent programme has been arranged. Several prominent negro preachers and educators from this and other States will attend.

—On Saturday the banking firm of Charles T. Geyer & Sons, of Southern Pines, made an assignment to W. J. Adams, of Carthage. Book assets are about $12,000 and exclusive of capital the liabilites are about $10,000.

—While Mr. Sidney G. Collons and Mr. J. C. Williams, of Angier Harnett county, were on their way to Lillington on Saturday, Mr. Collons dropped dead on the road from heart trouble. He was aged 71 and was a prominent and respected citizen.

—The Republican convention of the Tenth Congressional District met at Asheville Saturday and nominated J. J. Britt, of Asheville, to contest the race with W. T. Crawford, Democrat. Roosevelt's name was mentioned three times but failed to elicit enthusiasm. The administration was endorsed.

—The Sanford Sash & Blind Company, whose entire plant was destroyed by fire May 12, was reorganized July 5 and the capital stock increased to $10,000. Work on the new factory building has already begun. It will be a modern structure with all the latest machinery and improvements. This company will be ready for business by September 1.

—The Secretary of State has chartered the Carthage and Piedmont Railroad Company, of Carthage, with $60,000 total authorized capital stock, all subscribed. The object is to construct, maintain and operate a railroad for public use in the conveyance of passengers and property, which shall extend from the town of Carthage to the village of Pinehurst, in Moore county. The incorporators are: H. A. Page and J. H. Page, of Aberdeen; T. B. Tyson, D. O. McDonald, J. L. Currie, and J. F. Cole, of Carthage.

—Greensboro special, July 7: Blackburn's Wilkes county methods took like wildfire among Guilford Republicans today, furnishing a disgusting, but spectacular display of dash, rowdyism, and continual expectation of riot and blood, only to end in a complete submissive surrender of the minority ruthlessly overridden, insulted, brow-beaten and bull-dozed. Without opposition, after hours of preliminary wrangle he was endorsed for State Chairman, his delegates alone elected to the State Convention and pandemonianism made popular in the heart of staid old Guilford Republican Quakerdom. The name and shame of Butler was the undoing of the organization or Adams-Douglas forces.

—The annual meeting of the Thomasville Orphanage (Baptist) was held at the institution in Thomasville on Saturday. There was a large attendance and there were interesting exercises, including addresses, reports and a programme by the children. The ten little maidens from Japan caught the crowd. Mr. J. H. Tucker, of Asheville, and Mr. Thomas Noel, of Lexington, were elected as trustees to fill vacancies made by the death of Dr. Mitchell and retiring from the board of Rev. M. L. Kesler, when he accepted the superintendency of the orphanage. The afternoon was taken up in field sports. Capital City Council, J. O. U. A. M., of Raleigh, sent 300 bags of candy to be distributed to the children. The orphanage is in splendid condition.

—The Republican county convention at Durham on Saturday was the rowdiest ever held in the county. The result was that two contesting delegations were sent to the Republican State convention which meets at Greensboro to-day (Tuesday). After the convention had been called to order by C. T. Pearson, county chairman W. T. Rigsbee, leader of the Blackburn faction, took the chair, practically by force, had himself made temporary and then permanent chairman, appointed committees and sent a Blackburn delegation to the State convention. Great confusion reigned and many fights were prevented. The Adams faction later held a convention and sent delegates to Greensboro. After the convention County Chairman Pearson was assaulted by Ruby Smith.

—The Republican county convention at Greensboro on Saturday was a turbulent affair, but Blackburn carried the day over Adams, 18 delegates to the State convention having been instructed for him. After a Blackburn demonstration, the Congressman thus acknowledged it, in part: "I thank you for this demonstration. I have received more free advertising I suppose, than any other man in this State—advertising that I have not sought. Individuals who did not like me have sought to defeat me in every way they could. Since April 30, last, secret service men have followed me in every township in my district—the only Republican district in the State—endeavoring to find something that could be used in destroying me. They have indicted men who they said were my friends and failed to convict them."

—At Asheville Saturday morning before day a burglar entered the room of Mrs. Baker, of Virginia, a guest of the Colonial Inn and got away with a gold watch and some money. Mrs. Baker was sleeping alone in the room when she was awakened by some noise and was startled to find a negro in her room bending over a trunk and in the act of taking articles therefrom. She screamed, and the man rushed through a window and made his escape, although not before Mrs. Baker had a good look at him. She is of the opinion that she could identify the man.

—A strange robbery occurred in Reidsville one night last week when some unknown parties removed the cornerstone from the colored Methodist church and made way with it and its contents. The stone was valued by members of the congregation because it had been in use in their old church building and recently it was sent to Greensboro and made over for the new structure, which has recently been completed. In due time the cornerstone was laid and some of the colored secret orders and the members of the congregation assembled to witness the exercises. Some old coin was deposited in the stone, the amount being $1.11, and a collection was taken during the exercises for the benefit of the church and something over $60 was realized. It is supposed that some one in the audience thought that the collection was put into the stone. At any rate, the following night the stone was prized from the wall and since that time all efforts to locate it have been futile.

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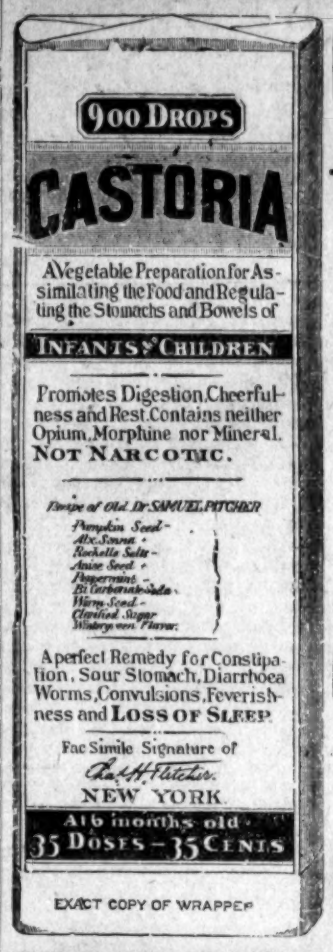

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Our claim is corroborated by the number of prudent purchasers we send. For June the 1st to the present, we have sold $4,540.21 worth of goods, received more than $3,300.00 in cash. Our books are open for inspection of any doubters. When in need of furniture come to headquarters.

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"The Store That's Always Busy."

OUR INVENTORY SALE

Will continue during the next three days—the rainy weather prevented many from attending our Inventory Sale. We have decided to offer the same bargains and reductions as advertised last week during MONDAY, TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY, July 9th, 10th and 11th.

Limited Feature Sale.

MONDAY, JULY 9TH, for 15 minutes, beginning at 9:30 o'clock, we will offer our 10 and 12 1-2c. Ginghams for **6c, per yard.** Limit of 20 yards to one customer.

TUESDAY, JULY 10TH, for 15 minutes, beginning at 10 o'clock, we will offer our 75, 89, $1.00 and $1.25, also few higher priced Ladies' Lawn Shirt Waists at **69c, each.** Limit of four to one customer.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 11TH, or one hour, 10 to 11 o'clock, we will sell our entire stock of Ladies' Woolen Eton and Pony Suits at just **ONE-HALF OFF.** A number of very stylish suits are in the assortment. A chance of a life time.

We are the only Dry Goods Store that offers you Southern Trading Stamps.

FREE——FREE——FREE.

During the three days of our Inventory Sale we will offer our customers **Three Trading Stamps for One.** With every 10c. you get three trading stamps. New premiums are on display at the Trading Stamp Store.

Carpets bought during this sale will be laid during the Fall if desired. No charge for laying Matting.

Our Sales always attract crowds, and many customers have told us this week that we advertise the truth when we say "The Store That's Always Busy."

The C. W. POLVOGT COMPANY,

Three Day Inventory Sale—Three Stamps for One.

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The Morning Star.

WILMINGTON. N. C.

Tuesday Morning, July 10.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture
Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, N. C., July July 9, 1906.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M. Monday, July 9:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 73 degrees; 8 P. M., 80 degrees; maximum, 88 degrees; minimum, 71 degrees; mean, 80 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .53; rainfall since first of the month to date, 3.97.

Stage of water in Cape Fear River at aFyetteville at 8 A. M., Monday, 7.4 feet.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Fair Tuesday and Wednesday; variable winds.

PORT ALMANAC—July 10.

Sun Rises .....4:51 A. M.
Sun Sets .....7:18 P. M.
Day's Length.....14 hrs. 29 min
High Water at Southport..11:30 A M
H'gh Water at Wilmington.2.00 P. M.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Deeds Which Appear From the Records Filed Yesterday.

M. M. Haney and wife to S. A. Bullard, for $10 and other considerations, property at northeast corner of Second and Meares streets, 33x133 feet in size, more or less.

Elizabeth Styron to Ida Styron, for $10 and other considerations, property on south side of Dock, 36½ feet west of Ninth street, 33x99 feet in size.

Daniel Smith Bender to Charles Edward Bender, for $1 and other considerations, property on north side of Castle, 106 feet west of Seventh street, 4x118 feet in size.

M. O. Bunn and others to Samuel Merrick, for $10, property on west side of Eleventh, 80 feet south of Princess street, 51x66 feet in size.

THE ASSOCIATED CHARITIES.

Report of Treasurer for the Month of June, 1906.

Receipts—New Hanover Co $125; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Latimer, $25.

Expenses—Secretary's salary, $25; Catharine Kennedy, home, $12.50; groceries, $118.60; rent for those in need, $10.50; cash help, $1.50; janitor, $2.50; telephone, $3; wood, $5; shoes, $1.50.

Funeral of a Child.

From the residence of the parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Hawkins, No. 805 Chesnut street, impressive funeral services were conducted Sunday afternoon at 5:30 o'clock by the Rev. N. M. Watson, pastor of Grace M. E. church, over the remains of little Mary Ruth Hawkins, 16 months old, whose death occurred Saturday. There were a large number of very handsome floral designs and the music was by a special quartette composed of Misses Katie Foard, Agnes Chasten, Lillie Post and Hazel Dushan, with Miss Cannie Chasten organist. The interment was in Oakdale cemetery, the pall-bearers having been Messrs. Herbert and Kenneth Davis, James Sheehan and J. P. Ruark.

Tax Assessors Begin Rounds.

The Board of County Tax Assessors composed of Mr. T. O. Bunting, Capt. Louis Belden and Col. Walker Taylor, yesterday began its rounds of examining property in the township and making new assessments for taxation where there has been any improvement since last year. The work will require two or three weeks and as the past has been a year of great improvement in Wilmington, it is expected that a considerable amount will be added to the tax books of the county as the result of the labors of the Board. Next year there will be an entirely new assessment of all property.

More Wilmington Automobiles.

Mr. Frank Herbst, Wilmington's enterprising automobile dealer and agent, has just sold to Dr. W. T. Smith, the dentist, and Dr. Frank H. Russell two handsome 10-horse power Maxwell Briscoe tourabouts. They are to be delivered by the first of August. Mr. Herbst has recently received for demonstration purposes what is known as a gentleman's speedster, a very fine machine with a speed limit of 50 miles an hour. The machine is painted red and is decidedly attractive on the streets.

Lumina Bowling Contest.

This week two prizes are offered in the bowling contest at Lumina. Five dollars will be given for the highest score during the week and another $5 prize will be given for the highest aggregate in the play-offs on Saturday night. The scores up to the close last night were: L. W. Austin, 144; E. S. Capps, 172; L. Kure, 157; W. Maron, 140 and C. Grant, 174.

A Hard Lot.

of troubles to contend with, spring from a torpid liver and blockaded bowels, unless you awaken them to their proper action with Dr. King's New Life Pills; the pleasantest and most effective cure for consumption. They prevent Appendicitis and tone up the system. 25c at all druggists.

LOCAL DOTS.

—The steamer Dorothy, 1,625 tons, Capt. McDonald, from Port Tampa to New York, arrived yesterday for coal.

—The regular quarterly meeting of the Board of Directors of the Associated Charities will be held at the office of the Association this morning at 11 o'clock.

—The Clyde Liner New York arrived yesterday morning at daybreak, having made an extraordinarily good run down the coast, clearing from New York at 5:30 o'clock Friday afternoon.

—Ida Diggs, a young colored woman, was declared insane by a commission of lunacy at the office of Col. Jno. D. Taylor, Clerk of the Superior Court, yesterday. She will be sent to the hospital for the colored insane at Goldsboro.

—Greenville Chapel, in Scott's Hill circuit, will be dedicated the fifth Sunday in this month at 11 o'clock. The dedicatory sermon will be preached by Rev. Y. E. Wright, of Scott's Hill. All former pastors are invited to be present.

—Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Newton have the sympathy of many friends in the death of their infant child, which occurred at the family residence, No. 111 South Ninth street, Sunday at noon. The interment was in Bellevue cemetery.

—Bladen Street M. E. Sunday School will have its annual outing at Carolina Beach to-day. The first boat leaves at 9:15 A. M. instead of 9:45 A. M., as previously announced. The second trip of the steamer will be at 2:45 P. M. A good time is assured all who go.

Fayetteville Observer, 9th.: "Miss Alice Craft, of Wilmington, is visiting Miss Emeth Tuttle, on Gillespie street. —Misses Lucile and Mary Gorham have gone to Wrightsville Beach for a few weeks. —Mrs. J. B. Underwood, Jr., and children left to-day to spend a month at Wrightsville Beach.—Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Strange and son, Master Samuel, returned from a week's stay at Wrightsville Beach Saturday. —Mrs. C. J. Cooper and children and her mother, Mrs. Fawcette, left this afternoon for Wrightsville Beach. They will stop at the Tarrymoore.—Mrs. J. F. Highsmith and Miss Geneva Highsmith, who have been spending some time at Wrightsville Beach, came home this morning on a visit."

RALEIGH AND SOUTHPORT.

First Train Into Fayetteville To-day—An Important Event.

Yesterday afternoon's Fayetteville Observer has the following:

"If nothing unforseen happens, the Raleigh & Southport Railroad will run its first train into Fayetteville tomorrow. The last link down Hillsboro street to Rowan street, where a juncture is made with the Atlantic Coast Line, is being laid to-day, and it is expected will be completed by nightfall. Mr. Mills, the president of the road, is in the city, and will, of course, be the proudest spectator of this important event.

"The arrival of this road marks another great epoch in Fayetteville's history, and its coming is hailed with delight by all our citizens.

"Mr. Mills is to be congratulated, and he has the hearty thanks of all our people. Mr. Jerry Respass, the chief engineer, will come in for no little share of the congratulations also, as the road has been built under his direct supervision."

NEW TRIBE OF RED MEN

Laxipolka No. 71 Will be Instituted This Evening in Wilmington.

Laxipolka Tribe No. 71, Improved Order of Red Men, will be instituted in this city this evening beginning at 8 o'clock and continuing until the work is finished, which will probably be some time in the early morning. Past Grand Sachem J. R. Davis will be the installing officer and about 40 pale faces will be scalped before being admitted into the wigwam. Braves from Watcoosa Tribe No. 66, of the Southport reservation, will be up for the scalping and will bring along the post band from Fort Caswell for the war dance. The copper skins of the city are looking forward to the event with much interest and the young Indians may look for the time of their lives.

FIREMEN AT ASHEVILLE

Wilmington Laddies to Attend State Tournament.

Chief Charles Schnibben, O. L. Wells, of the Hook and Ladder Co., W. B. Carroll, of the Chemical Engine Co., No. 1; Capt. B. R. Russell, of Engine Co., No. 1; Graham Smith, of Hose Co. No. 3, all of the Wilmington Fire Department, and Mr. W. C. VonGlahn, secretary of the State Firemen's Association, left yesterday for Asheville, N. C., to attend the annual meeting of the Association and the annual tournament. They will be away the better part of the week and while away will make a strong pull to have the tournament here in 1907.

The Hanging of Scott.

The story of the hanging of the mutineer-murderer, Henry Scott, as it appeared in The Morning Star last Saturday, is still in such demand that it will be reproduced, including Scott's photograph, in The Weekly Star, to be printed Thursday, July 12th. Single copies may be had at The Star office, or by mail, at five cents each.

THE COUNTY SCHOOLS

(Continued From Page One.)

10, $135; District No. 12, $135; District No. 6, $152. Total, $422.

Federal Point—District No. 8, $139; District No. 9, $139. Total, $278.

Masonboro—District No. 4, $205; District No. 3, $140; District No. 16, $77. Total, $422.

Harnett—District No. 7, $140; District No. 13, $142; District No. 11, $142; District No. 5, $140; District No. 14, $145; District No. 15, $160.89. Total, $869.89.

The amount apportioned is largely from the liquor tax and fines and forfeitures, the latter for the past year having been $553.60 from the Superior Court, $1,164.60 from the city court, and $896.60 from other magistrate courts. The year before the amount from these sources was $2,916.35.

DR. CALDWELL TO LOCATE HERE

Prominent Young Physician Will Practice His Profession Here.

Dr. Morris M. Caldwell, who will be most pleasantly remembered as formerly assistant surgeon in charge of the James Walker Memorial Hospital in Wilmington, has decided to locate here and this week will open an office at No. 405 Chesnut street. Dr. and Mrs. Caldwell arrived in the city Tuesday and are guests at the Orton. Dr. Caldwell has been doing hospital work since his graduation from Jefferson College several years ago and is a young physician of exceedingly bright promise; a skilled practitioner and a gentleman of most engaging personality. He will receive a very warm welcome to the profession in Wilmington and will without a doubt enjoy the large practice which he deserves. Dr. Caldwell is a native of Statesville, N. C., and is a graduate of Davidson College. Recently Dr. Caldwell has been connected with the Pennsylvania State Hospital at Easton, Pa.

ASKS DAMAGES OF $50,000.

Suit Brought Against A. C. L. for Accident Last May.

Herbert McClammy, Esq., and Messrs. Bellamy & Bellamy, counsel for the plaintiff, yesterday filed complaint in the suit which Capt. John Barry, administrator of the late Adolphus R. Merritt, brings against the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company because of the killing of young Merritt, on the yards of the company in this city last May. It will be remembered that Merritt lost his life while employed with other trestle workmen in building a butting block to prevent cars from running into the river on the lower yards. The amount asked for is $25,000 actual and $25,000 punitive damages. The answer to the complaint has not yet been filed.

AT THE BEACH CASINO.

Third Week Opens Well With Polite Vaudeville.

The vaudeville offering at the Casino, on Wrightsville Beach, seemed to please the audience which assembled last evening to see the initial production of this favorite offering. In the cast were several local performers who did exceedingly well with their parts, coming well up to the professionals. The vaudeville will continue all the week and the doors of the Summer theatre will open as soon after 9 o'clock each night as possible.

Cunty Pension Board.

The County Pension Board, composed of Col. Jno. D. Taylor, Clerk of the Superior Court, ex-officio; Col. W. L. DeRosset, Capt. George W. Huggins and Capt. R. M. McIntyre, was in session yesterday afternoon at the Court House and completed the list of pensioners from New Hanover county to be recommended to the State Board of Pensions. In addition to the list of new pensioners as previously agreed upon at the meeting the first Monday in July, the names of Benj. Hollis and J. J. Shepard were added yesterday afternoon. The County Board has now completed its work and the list as recommended will at once go up to the State Board.

Mr. Wright Blake Dead.

Mr. Wright Blake, a well-known and highly esteemed citizen of Pender county, residing near Burgaw, died Sunday morning at his home of heart disease. Mr. Blake was 74 years of age and had been in poor health some time. Mr. Blake leaves to mourn their loss his wife, five sons and two daughters. Mr. R. E. Blake, of this city, was a son of the deceased and was at Burgaw yesterday afternoon for the funeral, which was conducted from the Burgaw Baptist church. The sorrowing ones have the tenderest sympathy of many friends in their bereavement.

Died on the Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph I. Walser, of Lexington, N. C., who have been guests at the Seashore Hotel, Wrightsville Beach, for something over a week, had the misfortune early yesterday morning to lose by death their infant daughter, Virginia, aged 16 months, who had been brought to the beach with the hope that the ocean air would be beneficial to her health. The remains were taken to Lexington on the northbound train yesterday morning, the bereaved parents being accompanied by several friends.

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Children's White Canvas Oxfords, all sizes from 6 to 2; were $1.00. Canvas Sale, 69c.

Women's White Canvas Oxfords, sizes 2 to 8; were $1.00. Canvas Sale, 71c.

Women's White Canvas Oxfords, sizes 2½ to 8; were $1.50. Canvas Sale, $1.17.

sizes 2 to 8; an Oxford worth $2.00, for ..**"Dolly Madison" White Canvas Oxfords** for $2.29.

Children's White Canvas Oxfords, all sizes from 5 to 2; were $1.25. Canvas Sale, 99c.

Women's White Canvas Oxfords, sizes 2½ to 8, with or without white heels; were $1.25. Canvas Sale, 87c.

Women's White Canvas Oxfords, sizes 2 to 8; as oxford worth $2.00, for $1.37.

Men's and Boy's Tennis Oxfords, Black or white, sewed rubber bottoms. Canvas Sale, 47c.

Men's and Boy's Tennis Oxfords, white or black, glued rubber bottom; were $1.00. Canvas Sale, 63c.

Men's White Canvas Oxfords and Bals; were $1.25 and $1.50. Canvas Sale, 89c.

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SLATER'S COMEDIANS.

Large Audience Greeted Favorite Entertainers Last Night.

Slater's Comedians opened a return engagement in this city last night at the Academy of Music and was received for the opening production by a large audience. The offering was "Kidnapped," a bill received with great favor last time and last night proved that the piece had lost none of its charm for a Wilmington audience. The specialties were clever and the individual members of the cast portrayed their parts well.

To-night the bill will be a three-act farce comedy, "That Green-eyed Monster" and the company is looking forward to another large and well pleased audience. There will be an entire change of specialties and these within themselves will be found highly entertainng.

Mr. McKeithan Resigns.

In order to devote all his time to "The Arcade," at Wrightsville Beach, of which he is one of the proprietors, Mr. Tilghman McKeithan has resigned his position as night clerk at the Dixie Cafe and in the future will devote all of his time to his interests in the "Arcade." He is a very clever young gentleman and will be missed at the Dixie.

Fell on Lumina Steps.

A lady and little girl whose names were not learned last night tripped and fell on the long flight of steps leading from the front of Lumina, on Wrightsville Beach, last night about 10 o'clock. While they were severely hurt, their injuries will not be serious from what could be learned of the accident last night.

Young Bryant Improving.

Young Mike Bryant, whose condition has been so critical at the hospital as the result of the stab wound received Thursday night, was improved at the hospital yesterday, though it will be several days yet before he is out of danger. Jim Marine, charged with the stabbing, is still in the custody of the police.

Dance at Lumina.

Mid-week dance at Lumina to-morrow night. **

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NEW ADVERTISMENTS.

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NOTICE.

I have this day sold my interest in the firm of Rice and Spencer to Mr. C. C. Rice. In leaving the business I wish to thank my friends for their patronage and ask for Mr Rice the continuation of same.

W. A. SPENCER.

July 7, 1906.

I have this day sold one-half interest in my furniture business to Mr. T. P. Claude. The firm now being known as Rice and Claude.

C. C. RICE.

July 9 1906.

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THE FAVORITES ARE BACK.

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BASEBALL.

Washington, 4; Detroit, 7.
Philadelphia, 0; Cleveland, 6.
Boston, 5; Chicago, 2.
New York, 2; St. Louis, 0.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Cincinnati, 3; New York, 5.
Chicago, 8; Boston, 4.
Pittsburg, 9; Brooklyn, 0.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE.

Nashville, 0; Atlanta, 5.
Montgomery, 0; Birmingham, 7.
Memphis, 1; New Orleans, 2.
Little Rock, 0; Shreveport, 1.

SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAGUE.

Macon, 0; Augusta, 4.
Columbia, 3; Charleston, 6.
Jacksonville-Savannah, rain.

VIRGINIA LEAGUE.

Danville, 3; Norfolk, 2.
Lynchburg, 3; Richmond, 4 (ten innings).
Roanoke, 6; Portsmouth, 2.

THE NEW CHADBOURN ROAD.

Preliminary Survey for Connection With Seaboard Air Line.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Chadbourn, N. C., July 9.—At the meeting of those interested in the building of the link of railroad from this town to some point on the Seaboard Air Line, held here Saturday, there was a large attendance and it was decided to at once begin the preliminary survey. As soon as this is done and the point at which the proposed road will tap the Seaboard Air Line is definitely ascertained, steps will be taken to raise the necessary capital and to secure a charter for the company. The meeting here Saturday was attended not only by the people of Chadbourn, but also from along the proposed route and from the Seaboard Air Line territory.

The preliminary survey will be made this week and report will be made to another meeting to be held at Chadbourn the coming Saturday.

Congressman H. C. Adams, of Wisconsin, died yesterday in the Auditorium Hotel at Chicago. He has been ill for several weeks and for a week had been confined in his room at the hotel. The home of Mr. Adams was at Madison and he was a member of the 58th Congress and was re-elected a member of the 59th. He was for two terms a member of the Wisconsin legislature, state superintendene of public property from 1884 to 1890 and dairy and food commissioner of Wisconsin from 1894 to 1902.

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United States Bonds and Premium	207,500 00
Furniture and Fixtures	5,929 29
Cash and Due From Banks	343,725 85
Total	$1,069,023 23

LIABILITIES.

Capital	$ 200,000 00
Surplus	100,000 00
Undivided Profits, net	11,502 36
Circulation	200,000 00
Deposits	557,520 87
Total	$1,069,023 23

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ANNOUNCEMENT.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Sheriff of New Hanover County at the coming election, subject to the will of the Democratic party at the primary to be held September 19th, 1906.

apr29-tf S. PERCY COWAN.

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8-Qt Galvinized Water Pails, 25c kind, 10c.

FRIDAY, JULY 13TH.
12 1-2 40-in White Lawns to Close out, 10c. yd.

SATURDAY JULY 14 TH.
10c Men's and Boy's Linen Colars; all sizes; special 5c each.

MONDAY, JULY 16.
Our 10c Colored Lawns, choice One Day, 7 1-2 yd.

TUESDAY, JULY 17TH.
Big Tin Ware Sale.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 18TH.
Our 7 and 8c Dress Ginghams, One Day 5c yd.

THURSDAY, JULY 19TH.
Our 5c Torchon and Val Laces to close out 3c yd.

FRIDAY, JULY 20TH.
One case of 8c Bleaching; Big values; One Day 6 1-2c yd.....

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5 Boxes Carpet Tacks, 5c.
10c Amonia, 7c
Machine Oil, 3c.
15c Open Fans, 10c
5c Val Laces, 3c yd.
5c Torchon Laces, 3c yd.
6c Hamburg, 4c yd. .....
10c Hamburg, 7c. yd.
100 doz Ladies Drop Stitch Hose, 15c kind; all colors; special 9c pr.

Boys' Summer Wash Suits.

75c Boy's Wash Suits; all colors, 48c
125 Boy's Wash suits; all colors; 89c
$1.50 Bay's Wash Suits; all colors; 98c suit.
50 doz. Boy's Wash Pants; all sizes; 25c kind; 15c r.

Big Mid Summer Sale Starts July 12th. Lasts 10 Days Only. Rain or Shine.

Geo. O. Gaylord's THREE STORES.

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To Buy Your Mowing Machines and Rakes

The Walter A. Wood is considered the best on the market. It is the only one that will cut a close stubble and we have on hand a car load that must be sold. We offer 10 per cent. reduction in price for the next thirty days. CALL OR WRITE FOR PRICES.

WM. E. SPRINGER & CO.

Our Great Rebuilding Sale

is still going on and if you have not visited our store and availed yourself of the low prices now offered you should do so at once. Here are a few specials while they last for week July 2nd to 7th for cash:

$27.50 Library Table, quartered and pplished. This week...$18.50
$22.50 Library Table, quartered and polished. This week...$16.50
$16.50 Library Table, quartered and polished. This week...$11.50
$15.00 Library Table, quartered and polished. This week...$10.75
$10.00 Library Table, quartered and polished. This week... $7.50
$25.00 Library Table, solid Mahogany. This week.....$17.50

A beautiful line of Parlor Tables in Quartered Oak and Mahogany at 25 per cent. off regular prices.

$60.00 Mahogany Pedestal Dining Table, 10 feet, very handsome and massive. This sale $42.00.

$55.00 Quartered Oak Pedestal Dining Table, 10 feet, $37.50.

We have a few Sideboards, Buffets, China Closets and Book Cases left that must go this week. Bed Room Suits in Oak and Mahogany, Odd Bureaus and Wash Stands.

W. MUNROE & CO.,

Furniture and Housefurnishings

Next South of Solomon's Shoe Store.

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Read Star Business Locals.

BLACKBURN WON AT GREENSBORO

Guilford County Stood by Him Against State Machine—Turbulent Scenes. Lic Passed.

After Conressman E. Spencer Blackburn finished a speech to the rowdy Republican county convention at Greensboro on Saturday, Judge Adams, with much feeling, said: "If I have ever been refused the right to address a Republican convention, I don't remember it. There is no man in North Carolina who regrets the present state of affairs in North Carolina more than I." He then referred to a part of Blackburn's speech and accused Blackburn of trading with Postmaster Glenn and Assistant Postmaster Burton. Blackburn walked up the aisle and repeated: "That's not so, that's not so." Burton walked over to Adams, shook his fist in Adams' face and said, "You're a liar." Somebody yelled, "Hurrah for Blackburn," and others took up the yell. Adams' voice was drowned as he said, "You cas insult me in here, but the man doesn't live who will dare to do it out of this convention." There were cries of "Cowardly wretch," and someone asked, "Are you a delegate?" Blackburn said, "No one wants to insult you Mr. Adams." Turning to Blackburn, Adams said: "Sir, we know your methods." To this the Congressman from the Eighth retorted: "I am glad you are learning them." The judge closed by saying: "I am 45 years old and have vtoed the Republican ticket ever since I was of age, and this is the first time I was ever insulted in a Republican convention. The man doesn't live who will insult me outside without my resenting it."

FOURTH OF JULY PICNIC.

Sunday School of Mill Creek Church Had Pleasant Outing.

Winnabow, N. C., July 9.—The Sunday School of Mill Creek Baptist Church gave a picnic on the fourth that was attended by quite a concourse of people and we think every one present enjoyed the occasion very much. There were recitations and singing by the children in the forenoon augmented by some very appropriate selections on the graphophone by Mrs. W. W. Drew. Then came the most important part when a very sumptuous diner was spread of which all partook heartily. Upon reassembling at the house C. Ed. Taylor, Esq., was introduced as the speaker of the day. Mr. Taylor spoke of the history of colonizing the county from the discovery of Columbus up to the present time; of the dark days our ancestors had in establishing our independence, and of some of the great achievments our country has made since the declaration of independence. We venture the assertion that there has never been a better speech made at Mill Creek. Mr. Taylor was followed by Mr. Wm. W. Drew, who made some very appropriate remarks for the occasion. Thus finished a day of commemoration of that great and memorable event which occurred one hundred and thirty years ago.

SAMPSON TEACHERS' INSTITUTE.

Convened Yesterday Will Continue Until July 23rd—Lecturers.

Clinton, N. C., July 9.—The Sampson county teachers' institute met here to-day in the Graded School Building, a goodly number in attendance. The institute will last until July 23rd. Prof. Jno. A. Ferrell, county superintendent, is in charge and the indications are that the meeting will be a success in every way. Among the lecturers will be State Superintendent of Public Instruction J. Y. Joyner and Mr. John J. Blair, superintendent of the Wilmington Graded Schools. Others who will be associated with Prof. Ferrell in the conduct of the institute will be Prof. E. C. Brooks, superintendent of the Goldsboro Graded Schools; Prof. D. L. Ellis, principal of the Clinton Graded Schools; Miss Etta Spier, of the Goldsboro Schools, and other prominent educators from all over this section.

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"I was a loser in a twenty year battle with chronic piles and malignant sores, until I tried Bucklen's Arnica Salve, which turned the tide, by curing both, till not a trace remains," writes A. M. Bruce, of Farmville, Va. Best for old Ulcers, Cuts, Burns and Wounds. 25c at all druggists. **

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Lumina's new veranda affords a fine view of the moonlit ocean, Lumina is a delightful place to spend the evening these hot nights. 6-30 tf

NOTICE

All persons having in their possession or using for any purpose whatever any milk bottle or cans belonging to Shadeland Dairy will be prosecuted under the State Laws of 1901, sections 1, 2 and 3; chapter 700.

A. O. McEACHERN,

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OPENS JUNE 15th

ALL the comforts, conveniences and amusements notable in modern hotel life are here afforded guests, together with the remarkably beneficial medicinal advantages of **Harris Lithia Water.**

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Its splendidly equipped Sanitarium, operated in connection with Hotel. (No consumptive or contagious cases taken.

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Its large airy rooms, broad halls and corridors, perfect ventilation and its picturesque location.

Its beautiful winding walks and driveways, through romantic woodland.

Its well equipped livery, comprising the best ladies' and gentlemen's saddlers and roadsters, and ponies for the children.

Its varied amusements, consisting in part, of splendid Orchestra, Dancing, Bowling, Tennis, Golf, Billiards, Pool, Trap-Shooting, etc.

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The Season of 1906 promises to surpass all previous records, both in number and personnel of its guests.

Large bookings have already been made of prominent people who will take up their Summer Residence at The Mecklenburg.

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Its New Summer Schedule of trains will afford additional facilities for reaching The Mecklenburg.

New Trains will be operated between Jeffress Junction and Chase City, and Chase City and Richmond. At Jeffress Junction, connection is made with mid-day trains from Norfolk and Danville; also, from all points in Eastern Carolina and Virginia.

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Waters For Sale By R. R. Bellamy, Ahrens Bros. J. H. Hardin, Jas. M. Hall, L. B. Sasser, J. Hicks Bunting Drug Co., Wm. Niestlie, B. C. Moore, and Dr. J. A. Smith.

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MECKLENBURG MINRAL SPRINGS CO.,

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ATLANTIC TRUST AND BANKING COMPANY,

Report of the condition of the Atlantic Trust and Banking Co., Wilmington, N. C., at the close of business June 18, 1906.

Resources.		Liabilities.	
Loans	$666,216.64	Capital Stock	$50,000.
Demand Loans	20.400	Undivided profits	22,134.18
Furniture and Fixtures	100	Dividend unpaid	21
Due from banks	17,073.79	Cashier's checks	152.31
Cash items	9,808.83	Accrued interest due depositors	1,000.
Gold coin	410	Demand Certificates of deposit	31,406.04
Silver coin	671,38	Deposits	612,394.11
Nat. Bank notes and U. S. Currency	2,427		
	$717,167.64		$717,107.64

State of North Carolina, County of New Hanover.

I, Milton Caider, Cashier of the Atlantic Trust and Banking Co., do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Notary attest: L. E COVINGTON, Notary Public.

Correct-Attest: C. J. MITCHELL, B. O. STONE, MATT. J. HEYER, Directors.

Clerks Wanted

Two men that have had experience in the dry goods business can get position at once. Apply in own handwriting, stating references.

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Baltimore and Carolina Steamship Company.

Proposed sailings from Baltimore:

FOR WILMINGTON, N. C.

Connecting wit steamers for Southport, Fayetteville and points on Cape Fear and Little Rivers.

JULY 13th AND 27th

M. L. W. WILLIAMS, Gen. Mngr., Baltimore, Md.

WALTER SMALLBONES, Agt., Wilmington, N. C.

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To The Beach.

SUBURBAN SCHEDULE
In Effect June 2nd, 1906.

WEEK DAYS.

Leave Wilmington	Leave Beach
6.30 A. M.	6.15 A. M.
	7.15 A. M.
And every half hour thereafter	And every half hour until
11.00 P. M.	11.45 P. M.
*12.30 P. M.	—

*12.30 P. M. car will wait for passengers from A. C. L., 12.05., and S. A. L., 11.59, when these trains are not over 30 minutes late.

FREIGHT.

6.00 A. M.	7.15 A. M.
10.00 A. M.	12.15 P. M.
4.00 P. M.	6.15 P. M.
7.00 P. M.	8.15 P. M.

Freight Depot open daily except Sunday from 8.00 A. M. to 7.00 P. M.

SUNDAY SCHEDULE.

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Beach.
9.00 A. M.	7.45 A. M.
	9.45 A. M.
And every half hour thereafter	And every half hour until
11.00 P. M.	11.45 P. M.
*12.30 P. M.	

*12.30 P. M. car will wait for passengers from A. C. L., 12.05., and S. A. L., 11.59, when these trains are not over 30 minutes late.

FREIGHT.

10.00 A. M.	12.15 P. M.
7.00 P. M.	8.15 P. M.

Freigh depot open Sundays 9.00 A. M. to 10.00 A. M., 6.00 P. M. to to 7.00 P. M.

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Atlantic Coast Line

Schedule in Effect, May 27, 1906.

NOTICE.

The arrivals and departures are given as information, as well as connections with other companies; but arrivals and connections are not guaranteed.

NORTHBOUND.

	No. 48	No. 42
Lv. Wilmington	9 00 a m	6 50 p m
Ar. Goldsboro	12.10p m	9.32 p m
Ar Wilson	1.12 p m	10.25 p m
Ar Rocky Mount	2.08 p m	11.00 p m
Ar. Norfolk	6 55 p m	.....
Ar. Weldon	5.08 p m	2.32 a m
Ar. Petersburg	7.12 p m	4.27 a m
Ar. Richmond	8.00 p m	5.10 a m
Ar. Washington	11.40 p m	8.50 a m
Ar. Baltimore	1.43 a m	10.13 a m
Ar. Philadelphia	4.25 a m	12.27 a m
Ar. New York	7.30 a m	3.00 p m

SOUTHBOUND.

	No. 41	No. 49
Lv. New York	9 25 a m	9 25 p m
Ar. Philadelphia	11 55 a m	12 01 a m
Ar. Baltimore	2 12 p m	2 32 a m
Ar. Washington	3 21 p m	3 45 a m
Ar. Norfolk	.....	8 40 a m
Lv. Richmond	7 25 p m	9 05 a m
Ar. Petersburg	8 05 p m	9 45 a m
Ar. Weldon	9 53 p m	11 44 a m
Ar. Rocky Mount	10.58 p m	1.00 p m
Ar. Wilson	11.46 p m	2.05 p m
Ar. Goldsboro	6 55 a m	3 10 p m
Ar. Wilmington	10 05 a m	6 00 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH SOUTHBOUND.

	Daily	Daily.	Daily. via Wilson
Lv Wilmington	6 00 am	4 45 pm	6 50 pm
Ar. Florence	9.35 am	7.40 pm	4.15 am
Ar. Columbia	12.40 pm	10.55 pm	
Ar. Charlest'n	1.20 pm	11.40 pm	7.05 am
Ar. Savannah	6.45 pm	2.50 am	9.30 am
Ar. Jacksville	.....	5.40 am	2.10 pm
Ar Tampa	.....	9 55 pm	11 00 pm

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Tampa	8.35 p m	10.30 a m
Ar. Jacksonville	7 55 a m	7 00 p m
Ar. Savannah	12 55 p m	1 15 a m
Lv. Charleston	5.30 p m	6.15 a m
Lv. Columbia	4.30 p m	6.45 a m
Ar. Florence	8.20 p m	9.25 a m
Ar. Wilmington	12.05 a m	1.40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

	West Bound Daily.	East Bound Daily.
Lv. Wilmington	9.10 a m	Ar. 8.00 p m
Ar. Fayettesville	12 20 p m	Ar. 4 55 p m
Ar. Sanford	1 55 p m	Lv. 3 40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEWBERN.

	N. Bound Daily ex Sun.	South Bound.
Lv. Wilmington	2 25 p m	Ar. 12 20 p m
Ar. Newbern	5 40 p m	Lv. 9 10 a m

Trains Nos. 42 and 41 carry Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington connecting with Pennsylvania R. R. for all points east.

T. C. WHITE, General Passenger Agent.
W. J. CRAIG, Passenger Traffic Manager.

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Southport and Carolina Beach Steam Boat Line—Schedule: Leave Wilmington daily for Carolina Beach and Southport 9:15 A. M. Leave daily for Carolina Beach 9:15 A. M., 2:45 and 5:15 P. M. Leaves Saturdays for Southport 4:00 A. M. and 2:00 P. M. Leaves for Beach Saturdays 2:00 P. M. Leaves Sunday for Beach and Southport 9:30 A. M. and 2:30 P. M. Leaves Beach daily except Sundays 7:45 A. M. Leaves Beach daily 12:45 P. M. and 6:00 P. M. Fare on 5:15 boat 15 cents. J. W. HARPER.

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New York for Wilmington, N. C.

S. S. New York .....Friday, July 6
S. S. Navahoe .....Friday, July 13

Wilmington, N. C., for New York.

S. S. Carib .....Saturday, July 7.
S. S. New York ....Saturday, July 14

From Wilmington, N. C., to Georgetown, S. C.

S. S. New York ....Monday, July 9.
S. S. Navahoe .....Monday, July 16.

Both steamers have good passenger accommodations.

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Lv. Richmond	2:15 P. M.	11.00 P. M.
Ar. Cincinnati	8:15 A. M.	5.00 P. M.
Ar. Chicago	5.30 P. M	7.10 A. M.
Ar. St. Louis	6.28 P. M.	7.18 A. M.
Ar. Louisville	11.00 A. M.	8.00 P. M.

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Bank Statement.

Report of the condition of the Atlantic National Bank at Wilmington, N. C., in the State of North Carolina, at the close of business June 18th, 1906:

RESOURCES		
Loans and discounts		$871,975.02
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		3,213.34
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		125,000.00
U. S. Bonds to secure U. S. Deposits		40,000.00
Bonds, securities, etc		130,500.00
Banking house, furniture, and fixtures		20,000.00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)		152,018.82
Due from State Banks and Bankers		170,996.24
Due from approved reserve agents		123,712.76
Checks and other cash items		240.00
Notes of other National Banks		3,665.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		641.64
Specie	12,999.25	
Legal tender notes	14,560.00	
		27,559.25
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)		5,375.97
Total		$1,675,398.04
LIABILITIES.		
Capital stock paid in		$125,000.00
Surplus fund		125,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		93,514.76
National Bank notes outstanding		125,000.00
Due to other National Banks		202,140.72
Due to State Banks and Bankers		157,456.81
Dividends unpaid		495.00
Individual deposits subject to check		782,393.62
Cashier's checks outstanding		24,397.13
United States deposits		40,000.00
Total		$1,675,398.04

State of North Carolina, County of New Hanover, ss:

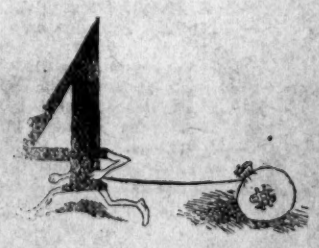
I, J. W. Yates, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. W. YATES, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of June, 1906.

W. C. ARMSTRONG, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
JOHN S. ARMSTRONG.
JAMES H. CHADBOURN.
D. McEACHERN.
Directors.



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Wilmington, N. C. New Berne, N. C.

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COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

(Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, July 9th, 1906.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE — Market firm, 56 1-2.

ROSIN—Market, firm $3.40.

TAR—Market firm at $2.00 per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Market firm at $2.75 per barrel for hard, $4.30 for dip and $4.65 for Virgin.

Quotation same day last year—spirits turpentine, firm, 57 1-2; rosin nothing doing; tar firm at $2.00 bid; crude turpentine firm at $2.50, $4.15, $4.40.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	107
Rosin	286
Tar	6
Crude	222

Receipts same day last year—49 casks spirits turpentine, 122 barrels rosin, 12 barrels tar, 117 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market—Steady, 10 3-4.

Same day last year—Nominal.

Reciepts—1,016 bales; same day last year, 1,922 bales.

COUNTRY PRODUCE

(Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants, prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.)

PEANUTS—North Carolina, Prime, 75c.; extra prime, 80@85c.; fancy, 90 per bushel of twenty-eight pounds. Virginia—Prime, 55c.; extra prime, 65c.; fancy 70c.; Spanish, $1.00@$1.05.

CORN—Firm, 72 to 75c. per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady, hams, 15@16c. per pound; shoulders, 12 to 13c.; sides dull, 12@13c.

EGGS—Firm at 17@18.

CHICKENS—Dull, 15 to 30 for small; Growns, 30@40.

BEESWAX—Firm, at 26@27c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2@5c. per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 70@$1.00 per bushel.

BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2 to 4c. pound.

TURKEYS—Nothing doing.

HIDES—Dry salted, 13@14c.; green 8c. per pound.

PORK—Nothing doing.

THE COTTON MARKETS.

New York, July 9.—The cotton market was very quiet during to-day's session, sales for the day being estimated at only 75,000 bales. Prices ruled irregular within a narrow range and closed steady at a net decline of 2 to 5 points. The opening was 1 to 3 points lower in spite of steady English cables and shortly afterward the market showed a net loss of 5 to 6 points on the more active months under scattering liquidation and bear pressure, which was inspired by reports of rains in the Southwest where moisture has been needed. Covering checked the decline before the midday, and the market rallied 2 or 3 points during the middle session, partly as a result of a firm spot report and partly owing to a report that local stocks were to be reduced some 8,000 to 10,000 bales as a result of shipments from here to New Orleans for delivery on nearby contracts there. Later, however, the market eased off again under official confirmation of more or less general rains in Texas, which were reported privately early in the day, and the market closed within a couple of points of the lowest.

Receipts at the ports to-day 10,116 bales against 4,183 last week and 9,864 last year. For the week 25,000 bales against 25,572 last week and 85,703 last year. To-day's receipts at New Orleans 560 bales against 2,084 last year and at Houston 474 bales against 2,347 last year.

Spot cotton quiet; middling uplands 10.80; middling 11.05; sales 1,533 bales. Futures closed steady. Prices ranged as follows:

Month.	Open.	Close.
July	10.17	10.17
August	10.26	10.26
September	10.32	10.28
October	10.30	10.28
November	——	10.28
December	10.32	10.32
January	10.38	10.36
February	10.40	10.38
March	10.45	10.45

Port Movements.

Galveston—Steady; middling 11 1-16; net receipts 563.

New Orleans—Dull; middling 11⅛; net receipts 560 bales.

Mobile—Quiet; middling 10¾; net receipts 35 bales.

Savannah—Easy; middling 10¾; net receipts 1,246 bales.

Charleston—Nominal.

Wilmington—Steady; middling 10 3-4; net receipts 1,016 bales.

Norfolk—Steady; middling 11⅛; net receipts 835 bales.

Baltimore—Nominal; middling 11⅛.

New York—Quiet; middling 10.80.

Boston—Quiet; middling 10.80; net receipts 41 bales.

Philadelphia — Steady; middling 11.05; net receipts 50 bales.

Pensacola—Net receipts 5,850 bales.

Total to-day, at all ports—Net 10,196; Great Britain 9,556; France 455; Continent 6,961; stock 233,667.

Consolidated, at all ports—Net 12,743; Great Britain 19,840; France 455; Continent 9,482.

Total since September 1, at all ports—Net 7,689,190; Great Britain 2,798,678; France 709,962; Continent 2,587,916; Japan 117,360; Mexico 2,764.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Quiet; middling 11; net receipts 474 bales.

Augusta—Steady; middling 11 1-16; net receipts 124 bales.

Memphis—Quiet; middling 10⅞; net receipts 18 bales.

St. Louis—Quiet; middling 10⅞; net receipts 67 bales.

Cincinnati—Net receipts 641 bales.

Louisville—Firm; middling 11⅛.

Liverpool Cotton Market.

Liverpool, July 9.—Cotton—Spot in limited demand; prices 2 points lower. American middling fair 6.62; good middling 6.32; middling 6.12; low middling 5.94; good ordinary 5.74; ordinary 5.54.

The sales of the day were 5,000 bales, of which 500 were for speculation and export and included 4,600 American. Receipts 3,000 bales, including 2,700 American.

Futures opened easy and closed easy. American middling G. O. C.: July 5.80; July and August 5.75; August and September 5.68; September and October 5.60; October and November 5.56; November and December 5.55; December and January 5.55; January and February 5.55; February and March 5.57@5.58; March and April 5.59; April and May 5.60@5.61; May and June 5.62.

NEW YORK FINANCIAL.

New York, July 9.—Money on call steady, 2¾@3½; ruling rate, 3¼; last loan 2¾; closing bid, 2½; offered at 3. Time loans dull and steady; sixty days, 4½ per cent.; ninety days, 4½@4¾; six months, 5½@5¾.

Prime mercantile paper, 5@5½ per cent. Sterling exchange steady with actual business in bankers' bills at 484.70@484.75 for demand and at 481.95@482 for sixty day bills. Posted rates 4.82½@4.85½. Commercial bills 4.81¾. Bar silver, 64¾. Mexican dollars, 50.

New York Bonds.

U. S. Refunding, 2s reg	103 1-4
U. S. Refunding, 2s cou	103 1-4
U. S. 3s reg	102
U. S. 3s cou	102 3-4
U. S. old 4s., reg	102 3-4
U. S. old 4s., cou	102 3-4
U. S. new 4s., reg	129 1-4
U. S. New 4s., cou	129 1-4
American Tobacco, 4s., cert	77 1-2
American Tobacco, 6s., cert	111 3-4
A. C. L., 4s	100
Baltimore & Ohio	103
L. & N. Unified	101
Seaboard Air Line, 4s	87
Southern Railway, 5s	115 3-4
U. S. Steel, 2nd 5s	97 3-8

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American Sugar Refining	129 3-4
American Tobacco, pfd., cert	90
Atlantic Coast Line	135
Baltimore & Ohio	116 5-8
Baltimore & Ohio, pfd	92
Chesapeake & Ohio	56 1-2
Louisville & Nashville	141 1-2
New York Central	130 5-8
Norfolk & Western	87
Norfolk & Western, pfd	90
Peoples' Gas	89
Reading	121 7-8
Reading 1st pfd	90
Reading 2nd pfd	95
Southern Pacific	65 5-8
Southern Pacific, pfd	116
Southern Railway	34
Southern Railway, pfd	98 3-8
Tenn. Coal & Iron	142 1-4
U. S. Steel	35 1-8
U. S. Steel, pfd	101 7-8
Va.-Car. Chemical	34 1-4
Va.-Car. Chemical, pfd	105
S. A. L., com	—
S. A. L., pfd	—
Standard Oil	592
Western Union	92

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

Chicago, July 9.—The probability of a large increase in local receipts tomorrow had a weakening effect on the wheat market to-day, the September delivery closing at a decline of ⅝@¾. Corn was up ⅝; oats were up ½@⅝. Provisions were unchanged to 7½ higher.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

	Open	High	Low	Close.
Wheat, No. 2.—				
July	78¾	78½	77½	77⅝
Sept.	78⅝	78⅞	77⅝	77¾
Dec.	80¼	80⅝	79⅜	79½
Corn. No. 2.—				
July	52	52⅜	51⅝	52
Sept.	52⅛	52¾	51⅝	52¼
May	50¼	50⅞	49⅝	50¼
Oats. No. 2.—				
July	37¼	38	37⅛	37⅞
Sept.	34½	35	34¼	34¾
Dec.	35½	35¾	35¼	35⅝
May	37⅛	37¾	36⅞	37⅝
Mess Pork, per bbl.—				
July	17.67½	17.67½	17.67½	17.67½
Sept.	17.15	17.22½	17.15	17.20
Lard, per 100 lbs.—				
July	8.90	8.90	8.87½	8.87½
Sept.	9.05	9.05	9.02½	9.02½
Oct.	9.05	9.07½	9.05	9.05
Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.—				
July	9.55	9.55	9.55	9.55
Sept.	9.45	9.47½	9.42½	9.45
Oct.	9.25	9.27½	9.22½	9.22½

Cas quotations were as follows: Flour easy; No. 2 Spring Wheat, 80@80½; No. 3, 76@80; No. 2 red, 78¼@79½; No. 2 Corn, 52½; No. 2 yellow, 53; No. 2 Oats, 39⅞; No. 2 white, 38½@40; No. 3 white, 37@39¼; No. 2 Rye, 59½@60. Short ribs, sides (loose), $9.50@9.55; mess pork per barrel, $17.65@17.67½; lard per 100 lbs., $8.87½; short clear sides (boxed), $9.75@9.87½. Whiskey, basis of high wines, $1.29.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET

New York, July 9.—FLOUR steady.

CORN MEAL—Steady.

WHEAT—Spot easy; No. 2 red, 84⅛ elevator. Options ⅝ to 1⅛ net lower; No. 2 red, May, 85 5-16; July 84⅜; September 86⅛.

CORN—Spot firm; No. 2, 59¾ nominal elevator. Options ¼ to ½c net higher; July, 58¾; September 58⅞; December, 57¾.

OATS—Spot quiet; mixed, 42½@43.

LARD—Steady; Western prime, $8.90 nominal; refined steady.

PORK—Firm.

TALLOW—Dull.

RICE—Steady.

MOLASSES—Steady.

COFFEE—Spot Rio steady; No. 7 invoice, 7⅞; mild steady. Futures steady, unchanged to 5 points lower.

SUGAR—Firm; fair refining, 3¾; centrifugal, 96 test, 3¾; molasses sugar, 3; refined steady.

BUTTER—Quiet; creamery, 16½@21.

CHEESE — Steady; new State, small, 8½; skims, 1@8½.

EGGS—Firm; nearby selected, 23; Western firsts, 16½@17; Southerns, 14@15½.

PEANUTS—Quiet; fancy handpicked, 4¼@4¾; other domestic, 2@4½.

FREIGHTS TO LIVERPOOL—Dull; grain by steam 1d; cotton by steam, 13c.

POTATOES—Firm; Southern, Rose, per barrel, $2.50@3.00; do Irish cobblers, $2.55⅝3.00; do Chilis, $2.00@2.75; do Southern $1.00@1.50; sweets, Jersey, per basket, 75@$1.25.

CABBAGES—Weak; Long Island and Jersey, 75@$1.00 per barrel.

COTTON SEED OIL was steady with trade quiet. Prime crude f. o. b. mills, nominal new crop; prime Summer yellow, 37½@38; prime white, 42; prime Winter yellow, —.

NAVAL STORES.

New York, July 9.—Turpentine and rosin firm.

Savannah, July 9.—Turpentine firm, 57¼; sales 779; receipts 764; shipments 9,870.

Rosin firm; sales 2,107; receipts 2,050; shipments 6,503; stock 62,704. Quote: A. B. C., $3.50@3.55; D., $3.85@3.90; E., $4.05@4.10; F., $4.15@4.20; G., $4.20@4.25; H., $4.35; I., $4.45; M., $4.60; N., $4.65; W. G., $4.80; W. W., $4.90@5.00.

Charleston, July 9.—Turpentine and rosin unchanged.

DRYGOODS MARKET.

New York, July 9.—A generally improved condition was evident in dry goods market to-day. Fall dress goods buyers are here in large numbers and their operations will commence to be noticeable in a week or so. Every division of the market is stronger to some extent except coarse yarns, brown goods, from 3½ cents a yard and standard goods down to the heaviest makes. Some changes in these may have to be made before long.

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BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington N. C., July 9, 1906.

C. C. Railroad—11 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & W. Railroad—7 bales cotton; 3 casks spirits turpentine; 14 barrels rosin; 28 barrels crude turpentine.

W. C. & A. Railroad—1,009 bales cotton; 5 casks spirits turpentine; 35 barrels rosin; 6 barrels tar; 82 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—35 casks spirits turpentine; 84 barrels rosin.

W. & N. Railroad—11 casks spirits turpentine; 8 barrels rosin; 46 barrels crude turpentine.

Str Whitlock—13 casks spirits turpentine; 52 barrels rosin.

Str. Tar Heel—4 casks spirits turpentine; 14 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. City of Fayetteville—9 casks spirits turpentine; 33 barrels rosin; 41 barrels crude turpentine.

Str Compton—17 casks spirits turpentine.

Schr. Addie May—10 casks spirits turpentine; 60 barrels rosin.

Total—1,016 bales cotton; 107 casks spirits turpentine; 286 barrels rosin; 6 barrels tar; 222 barrels crude turpentine.

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Wilmington, N. C., July 2nd, 1906.

Office of the Treasurer Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company, duly called and held on May 24th, 1906, a dividend of three per cent. was declared on the Common Capital Stock of that Company, payable at the office of the Treasurer, at Wilmington, N. C., July 10th, 1906, to all stockholders of record as of June 20th, 1906. The transfer books were closed on June 20th, 1906, at three o'clock P. M., an will be reopened on July 10th, 1906, at ten o'clock A. M.

JAMES F. POST,
Treasurer.

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TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF NEW HANOVER COUNTY.

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THAW HELD MALICE AGAINST MR. WHITE

Prosecution Claims to Have Two Witnesses Who Heard Thaw Threaten to Shoot Architect. Both Men Pursued the Girl.

By Wire to the Morning Star.

New York, July 9.—A witness whose testimony may be of considerable importance in connection with the Thaw-White case was found to-day in the person of Warran F. Hammond, who at one time was employed by Thaw as a valet. Until to-day it had been supposed that when William Redford, Thaw's regular valet died, the testimony of the only person who had ever occupied the position of a body servant to the young man had been irrevocably lost. Hammond, however, substituted for Bedford during three months when the latter was ill, about three years ago. It is expected that Hammond will be examined at the District Attorney's office to-morrow.

Among the persons questioned by Assistant District Attorney Garvan to-day was Charles Hartnett, who was employed by Stanford White as a secretary. While Mr. Garvan refused to say what the examination disclosed, it is understood that Mr. Hartnett's testimony tended to contradict the current reports of much which was discreditable to Mr. White's private life.

A Mrs. Schwartz, who lives in West Thirty-second street, and who is an intimate friend of the Thaws, will be questioned by Mr. Garvan to-morrow. It is said that shortly after Harry Thaw and Miss Nesbit were married, Thaw threatened, in Mrs. Schwartz's presence, to shoot Stanford White.

Two young women whom the District Attorney's office has been particularly eager to interview are Miss Paul A. Desmond and Miss Gertie Grant. It is alleged that these young women were followed and annoyed by detectives who had been employed to watch White. Both Miss Grant and Miss Desmond are known to have been friends of Stanford White.

The activity of the District Attorney's office is running down all clues in the theatrical district is largely due to the story told Assistant District Attorney Garvan by Edna McClure, a show girl, and former friend of Mrs. Thaw.

Miss McClure said that when Evelyn Nesbit was in "The Wild Rose" Company, both Stanford White and Harry Thaw were pursuing her. There were two cabs at the stage door for her every night and two bunches of flowers. White won at that time and he took the girl from the stage and sent her to school in Pompton, N. J. She was taken ill while there and underwent an operation. Then White sent her and her mother to Europe.

Harry Thaw learned of this and went abroad. He met the girl in Paris, and Evelyn went with him, leaving Mrs. Holman, the girl's mother, penniless in Paris. She had to cable White for money to get home. Evelyn tired of Thaw's conduct abroad and left him. When she got home she went to Stanford White and told him of the treatment to which she had been subjected by Thaw. White then took her to his attorney and had her draw up the affidavit, which is now so badly wanted by the prosecution. Thaw followed her home, and after some time she rejoined him and they went abroad together.

Miss McClure said that Evelyn was on the point of leaving Thaw after a bitter quarrel, when he offered marriage to her. Miss McClure also told the Assistant District Attorney that while entertaining a number of guests in a Broadway restaurant one night, Thaw saw Stanford White enter the place. He began to abuse White, says Miss McClure, and said to his wife: "There goes that blackguard now that owned you before I did."

Mrs. Thaw is reported to have answered: "Stop raking up my past, Harry. That brute over there is responsible. Go to him about it."

"I will," Thaw said. "I'll get him yet."

James Lederer, a theatrical manager of Philadelphia, and a brother of George Lederer, prominent as a theatrical manager, was subpoenaed today to appear at the District Attorney's office to-morrow in connection with the Thaw case. James Lederer was manager of the "Wild Rose" Company when Evelyn Nesbit Thaw, the prisoner's wife, was a member of it.

Thaw will not have his usual half-holiday exercises in the jail yard this week. Ordinarily the occupants of cells in tiers one and two where Thaw's cell is located, are permitted to spend Monday afternoon in the prison yard. To-day, however, the prison's coal supply was being renewed and none of the prisoners were permitted to go to the yard.

Mrs. Thaw spent an hour and a half with her husband to-day. She she was leaving the prison she remarked to a friend: "Harry seems to be in good spirits."

Pittsburg, July 9.—Three detectives are at work here investigating the life of Harry Kendall Thaw from his birth to his incarceration in the Tombs, New York, for the killing of Stanford White.

All of Thaw's alleged peculiarities from birth to manhood are being looked up and it is said to be the intention to secure every iota of information relative to his character and disposition. It is declared that Thaw's counsel have not decided upon what line of defense they will follow and the discoveries made by the detectives will figure largely in making up the minds of the attorneys.

Hon. David T. Watson, the Pittsburg attorney, who is now in England, will leave there this week and will likely go direct to New York and consult with Thaw's counsel there.

Relatives of Mrs. Harry K. Thaw in this neighborhood are not disposed to discuss the testimony given to the New York authorities by Edna McClure and others concerning the relations which existed between Thaw, his wife and White from the time that Thaw first met his wife. Mrs. C. J. Holman, the mother of Mrs. Thaw, it was said to-day, has nothing to give out in connection with the case. The reports that the New York authorities do not know where to find Howard Nesbit, the brother of Mrs. Thaw, if they should desire his testimony, are said to be without foundation. The young man is at home and says no mystery has been made as to his whereabouts.

THE NORRIS SUITS.

Wake County Superior Court Has Important Case For Trial.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., July 9.—The July term of the Wake County Superior Court convened this morning, Judge J. L. Webb presiding. There are 112 cases on the docket, the most important being that against Mr. M. T. Norris, a prominent merchant of this city, in which he is charged with burning the dwelling on a farm his wife owns ten miles from Raleigh, in order that the $500 insurance might be collected. There is also a damage suit by Mrs. Norris against the North Carolina Home Insurance Co., demanding $50,000 damages for charging that her husband burned the place as her agent. The preliminary litigation has been the most sensational Raleigh has had in a great while. No date for this trial is yet fixed. The evidence is entirely circumstantial, the warrant having been issued on affidavit of the State Insurance Commissioner.

The first bale of this year's cotton crop was sold at auction in New York yesterday and brought 24 cents per pound. It was shipped from Falfurrias, Star county, Texas. The bale was knocked down to the highest bidder in front of the New York Cotton Exchange. It will be shipped to Liverpool, England.

STOLE THE MARCH ON PARLIAMENT

Russian Douma Aroused Over Government's Scheme to Capture Pesants' Support

STRONG HINT OF DECEPTION

Government Distributed Circulars Among Agrarians and Set Them Against Parliament—Considerable Feeling Over Situation.

By Cable to The Morning Star.

St. Petersburg, July 9.—The initial steps towards the adoption of a direct address to the country to counteract the impression the government's communication with regard to the settlement of the agrarian question is making among the peasantry were taken in the lower house of the Parliament to-day when an interpellation was introduced, asking for an explanation of the dissemination of the governmental proclamation to the peasants July 3. This proclamation accompanied the publication in the Official Messenger of the government's agrarian bill and sets forth the Emperor's constant solicitude for the peasants' welfare and denied that the government was opposing expropriation in the interest of the landlords, concluding with an expression of the vital necessity of maintaining the rights of property as being the foundation of the state.

The interpellation was referred to a commission which is expected to recommend the issuance of a counter appeal setting forth the views and intentions of Parliament.

Professor Kuzmin-Karavaieff, the legal expert of Parliament, has developed the theory that the action of the administration in spreading views directly opposed to the expressed policy of the legislative branch was illegal encroachment on the privileges of Parliament.

Deputy Von Rutzen, from the province of Kurst, who has just returned from a visit to that section, told the Associated Press to-day that he had found peasants harboring a distinct feeling of distrust if not of animosity towards Parliament which petty officials naturally are doing their utmost to encourage. The government's agrarian proclamation, he said, was being distrubuted broadcast in the form of hand bills and posters throughout the country and agents of the administration are actively attacking parliament's principle on the agrarian question as being aimed as much at the small holdings of peasants as at the vast estates of the nobility.

The House made slight progress to-day with the debate on the Bialystok report. M. Roditcheff spoke in ringing tones, his voice trembling with emotion. As he concluded there was thunderous applause. After several other speeches and the presentation of various interpellations, the House adjourned.

LONE HIGHWAYMAN WAS CAPTURED

Robbed Five Stages at Yellowstone Park and Got Big Money.

WOMEN TERROR STRICKEN

Held Up One Coach After Another—Made Passengers Hold Up Their Hands and Then Took to the Woods.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

San Francisco, July 9.—The Bulletin has a dispatch confirming the announcement from Berenda last night that the highwayman who on Saturday held up and robbed a number of Yosemite Valley stage coaches has been captured, but no news of an official nature has yet been received.

Five Yosemite Valley stage coaches were held up Saturday near the entrance to the National Park by a lone highwayman, who obtained a considerable amount of money and jewelry. The conveyances were halted in rapid succession at a curve in the road near Ahwahnee, at the identical spot where a bandit a year ago robbed several wealthy tourists of their valuables.

The stages yesterday were traveling sufficiently far apart to avoid each other's dust and when the first vehicle reached the turn in the road the highwayman, whose features were hidden by a duster thrown over his head, stepped out, pointed a gun at the driver and commanded him to halt. Some of the women passengers screamed, while others began wildly to secrete their valuables.

The highwayman directed all passengers to throw out their money and jewelry, and when the order met with compliance, he directed the driver to move on. The second coach arrived within a few minutes after the first and the driver and passengers suffered a similar experience. The process was repeated until all five coaches had been halted and robbed. Then the bandit disappeared in the brush.

Fresno, Cal., July 9.—If the surmises of the authorities are correct "Jack" Sweet, of Grub Gulch, in Madeira county held up the five Yosemite stages. A report to the Democrat is that he is under arrest on the charge and he has been taken to Wawona for identification. Sweet is suspected of having held up the Yosemite stage one year ago. No arrest was then made because he came forward with an alibi. Sweet owns a small tract of land at Grub Gulch in the Sierras and works as a laborer in the mines. The sheriff's office at Madeira has no official information concerning the arrest and Sheriff Jones has not been in communication with the office since he plunged into the mountains on Saturday in pursuit of the bandit.

Dance at Lumina.

Mid-week dance at Lumina to-morrow night. **

SECRETARY OF STATE SPEAKS IN PORTO RICO

Mr. Root on Way to Rio Janeiro to Attend Pan-American Congress—Entertained at Luncheon and Greeted Cordially.

By Cable to The Morning Star.

San Juan Porto Rico, July 9.—Elihu Root, the Secretary of State, who arrived here yesterday on his voyage to Rio Janeiro as the representative of the American government at the Pan-American Congress, was entertained at luncheon today by George Cabot Ward at the Union Club.

Others present included United States and insular officials, the military and naval authorities of Porto Rico and several Spanish merchants and bankers.

Auditor Hyde, of Porto Rico, proposed the toast to President Roosevelt. In responding, Mr. Root recalled his solicitude and interest for Porto Rico during the first days of his administration as Secretary of War, while Porto Rico was yet under military government. He said he fully appreciated the difficulties attending the island's adjustment to the new conditions resulting from its separation from Spain and the severance of relations between church and state. The United States, Mr. Root said, was greatly interested in the welfare of the island and in holding its friendship and strongly desired for Porto Rico the utmost prosperity and happiness. There exists, he continued, no citizen holding office, high or low, who can truly represent his country who does not work zealously for the island's future.

Mr. Root avoided all reference to insular problems, such as the question of citizenship, the coffee growing industry and the presence of troops on the island.

TO SELECT SCHOOL BOOKS.

Sub-Committee Named—Directors of North Carolina Railroad.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., July 9.—Governor Glenn made public the names of the sub text book commission by whom the books offered by the publisher for adoption and use in the public schools of the State will be examined during the next thirty days and report with recommendations made to the text book commission (State Board of Education), by whom the adoption thereafter will be made. The members of the sub commission are Hugh Morsen, principal of the Raleigh High School; F. P. Hall, Superintendent Gaston county schools; B. T. McBryde, Superintendent Cumberland county schools; W. H. Ragsdale, Superintendent Pitt county schools; C. E. Massey, Superintendent Durham county schools, Durham; R. L. Madison, principal Cullowhee Normal and Industrial School; John M. Cheek, principal Whitehead Academy, Allegheny county. Probably fifty representatives of publishing houses are in the city making a fight for one or another kind of text books for the schools. By the proposed adoption it is for five years.

The Governor this evening announced the re-appointment of directors of the North Carolina Railroad. Hugh G. Chatham, of Elkin, is president; W. H. Williams, Newton; W. T. Brown, Winston-Salem; T. H. Vanderford, Salisbury; J. W. Lambert, Thomasville; Allen J. Ruffin, Hillsboro; S. C. Penn, Reidsville; L. Banks Holt, Graham. These meet at Burlington July 12th and organize and elect the State's proxy. Philips Pope, of Greensboro, is the present proxy.

General J. S. Carr, Durham; A. B. Stronach, Raleigh, and Major B. F. Dixon, State Auditor, are re-appointed directors of the North Carolina Soldiers' Home for one year.

CHEAP PASSAGE FOR EMIGRANTS

Cut of $2.50 by One Line to Meet Similar Reduction.

By Wire to the Morning Star.

Bremen, July 9.—The North German Lloyd Steamship Company reduced the steerage rate to New York $2.50.

Hamburg, July 9.—The reduction in emigrant passage rates announced by the North German Lloyd Steamship Company is that company's answer to the Hamburg-American Line's cut of the same amount last week, which is its second recent reduction. The situation begins to look extremely like a rate war between the Hamburg-American and North German Lloyd lines in emigrant business. It is explained that the Hamburg-American Company's reduction was designed to give Hamburg its proper share of the emigrant traffic, which latterly has been declining, the emigrants departing from this point in June numbering only 9,011 as compared with 17,399 in May.

DENIES WRITING COACHMAN.

Handwriting Expert to Testify in Pittsburg Divorce Case.

By Wire to the Morning Star.

Pittsburg, July 9.—David N. Carvalho, the hand-writing expert who has ben engaged in many famous cases of the country, among them the trials of Roland B. Molineaux, arrived here from New York to-day and registered at the Hotel Henry. He has been called here to testify for Mrs. Hartje in the divorce case brought by Augustus J. Hartje, the millionaire paper manufacturer. In the previous hearings of the case appeared about forty letters, which, it is alleged, Mrs. Hartje wrote to the family coachman, Tom Madine, and which have been declared a forgery by Mrs. Hartje and her counsel. It is upon these letters that Mr. Carvalho went to work soon after he arrived.

The Hartje case will be resumed tomorrow morning and it is expected that the result of Mr. Carvalho's work in part at least will be made known. The letters have been greatly enlarged, some of the initials being six inches in height.

The commandant of the Norfolk navy yard is to hear all parties interested in the removal of the pest house from Craney Island, Hampton Roads, The Navy Department had determined to take over the island from its use and that would necessitate the elimination of the island as quarantine station. To this the people of Norfolk and vicinity object as it would mean a new location of the building now in the island.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVET AND HIS DAILY TASK

Conducting Government From Oyster Bay—Secret Service Guard Fined $10 for Slapping Camera Fiend Who Was Photographing President.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Oyster Bay, July 9.—President Roosevelt took his daily task with his correspondence shortly after 9 o'clock to-day, an hour earlier than usual and finished by noon. When Secretary Loeb returned from Sagamore Hill, he announced that he had filled the place of solicitor to the Department of Commerce and Labor by the appointment of Charles Earle. This place was made vacant by the appointment of Edwin W. Sims as United States District Attorney at Chicago. Mr. Earle is an assistant attorney in the Department of Justice and has had service in the bureau of corporations in the Department of Commerce and Labor. The President also authorized the official announcement of the appointment of Richard K. Campbell as chief of the new bureau of naturalization. Mr. Campbell has had long service as solicitor for the bureau of immigration.

President Roosevelt sent to the Oyster Bay public library four volumes, being the oud and New Testaments, illustrated by J. James Tissot. The two volumes of the Old Testament contain 396 illustrations, and the two of New Testaments 365 illustrations. Every year since the President laid the cornerstone of this library he has sent a contribution of books.

James B. Sloan, Jr., chief of the President's secret service corps, pleaded guilty to a charge of assault to-day and was fined $10. Clarence Legende, a New York photographer, preferred the charge.

PACKING HOUSE MEN AND INSPECTION LAW

Secretary Wilson Held Conference With Them in Chicago Yesterday—Neither Side Would Give Out Any Information to Public.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Chicago, July 9.—Secretary of Agriculture Wilson and the chiefs of the packing establishments at the stock yards held a meeting to-day. The Secretary left his hotel early in the day, merely announcing that he 'was going away," but giving no intimation of where he might be found at any time of the day. An hour later he met the representatives of the packers in a small room on the top floor of the stockyards postoffice building. Those in the conference aside from the Secretary were: T. J. Connors, of Armour & Co.; Edward Tilden, of Libby, McNeil & Libby; Louis F. Swift and G. F. Swift, of Swift & Co.; Ira Morris, of Morris & Co.

When the conference adjourned none of the packers would say a word regarding what had occurred in the conference .Secretary Wilson said:

"The meeting was not a formal affair. The Washington authorities asked me to meet the packers and this time and place were considered the most convenient. I have nothing to say regarding what took place. The public must wait until my work is finished before I say anything. I am here to listen. I am a good listener. The packers have done the talking today. My mission is to explain the law of the government to the inspectors. I do not expect to make a detailed inspection of the stockyards, but will inform the public of the results of my labor while here just as soon as I can."

PRESIDENT'S DAUGHTER IN PARIS

Reception to Mr. and Mrs. Longworth By French President.

Paris, July 9.—President and Mme. Falieres gave a brilliant dinner tonight at the Elysee Palace in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Longworth. The guests included Ambassador and Mrs. McCormick, the members of the staff of the American embassy, J. G. A. Leishman, American Ambassador to Turkey, and Mrs. Leishman; Foreign Minister Bourgeois, Minister of the Interior Clemenceau, Minister of War Etienne, Minister of Marine Thomson, Minister of Public Works Barthaou, Minister of Agriculture Ruau, M. Jusserand, Ambassador of France to the United States, and Mme. Jusserand; General Brugere and the Duke and Duchess of Chambrun. A musicale followed.

SECRETARY TAFT'S GREENSBORO SPEECH

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Greensboro, N. C., July 9.—Secretary of War Taft tonight delivered his speech to the North Carolina Republicans on the eve of their State convention. The opera house was packed to overflowing by a throng eager to hear the Secretary and hundreds of persons were turned away because of the limited size of the hall.

Secretary Taft spoke of the important legislation at the recent session of Congress and discussed the political issues before the country. The Secretary was warmly applauded throughout his speech.

The mention of Bryan's name in the course of Secretary Taft's speech provoked a storm of applause.

Mr. Taft left Greensboro tonight on the 10:51 train for the North, en route to Put-In-Bay where he will deliver an address July 11 before the Ohio Bar Association.

INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE.

Recommendation That It Be Placed Under Civil Service.

Washington, July 9.—Teh Civil Service Commission has decided to recommend the inclusion of the internal revenue service in the classified service, and it is expected that an order carrying the plan into effect will be issued within the next few weeks. This branch of the public service ic one of the few remaining in which the civil service regulations do not apply.

The law was extended to it by President Cleveland, but there were so many complaints against the political effect of the order that President McKinley revoked it soon after he went into office except so far as it applied to storekeepers and guagers receiving salaries higher than $500 a year.

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